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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, For Sale, Lost, Found, Boards, Rooms and Scavengers, 25 cents for each insertion, and proportionate rate for more space or longer time.

WANTED—Office boy. Apply 5 Bastion Square. jun3 2i

WANTED—A good general servant. Apply at 99 Superior street. m30

WANTED—A residence. Will rent or buy. If the latter will pay money down, but price must be reasonable. No fancy terms will be considered. No hurry about possession. Address "Judge" Times office. All communications strictly confidential. my26-tf

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TO RENT—Rooms to rent, pleasantly situated on Rockwood Hill, 20 minutes from Post Office. Board if required. Address L. H., the Times Office. m31-1w

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TO LET—The property known as the Rock Bay Tannery, also the Bay Tannery at Rock Bay. The plant is complete in each place, and will be leased for short or long term. Inquire of Richardson, Heathorn & Jones 42 Yates St. m12-1m

TO LET—Several large rooms. Apply 103 Government street. ap24-tf

TO LET, After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 135 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap12tf

TO LET—New four roomed house to let and furniture for sale. Furniture 18 mo. old; rent four months. Ira Paxton, No. 3 Churchway. j16

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New and convenient cottage nicely situated near tramway, James Bay, $1300. Crane McGregor and Boggs. my22

FOR SALE—Lot Victoria West $300, $50 cash balance $10 a month. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. jun3

FOR SALE—House and lot Spring Ridge, $1800, rents $15 a month. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. jn3

FOR SALE—A well situated lot 60x120, $275 $50 cash balance to suit. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. jn3

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FOR SALE—The largest list of Victoria property for sale on the market. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. jn3

FOR SALE—Julius Burrow, 102 Yates street offers for sale all his store fixtures, tools, machinery, steam engine, stock and sailing vessel. Store to let. Apply at premises jun3tf

FOR SALE—Lease of 2000 acres sheep range and cattle with good house and barns. Apply Van Volkenburgh, Victoria. jun2-tf

FOR SALE—Victoria District, 400 acres capital land well watered, good water, close on projected train car line; $100 per acre, a bargain. Apply A. Tolley, 40 Broad street. m28

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FOR SALE—Clinker built boat 18 feet keel, Bluff in China of hard wood and copper fastened. Apply to Dan McIntosh, James Bay Bridge. my26-2w

FOR SALE—5 acres all under cultivation, on water main, $1000, ½ cash. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. may27

FOR SALE—House and 11 lots, water front, Victoria West, $3000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may27

FOR SALE—2 lots corner South Turner and Niagara streets, $1300. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may27

FOR SALE—Water front lot, Esquimalt harbor, $4000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs.

FOR SALE—Corner lot fronting on Beacon Hill Park, $1500. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may27

FOR SALE—Lot Leighston road, $350. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may27

FOR SALE—Farming land at Alberni from $5.00 per acre. Crane McGregor & Boggs.

FOR SALE—A double lot (60x200 feet) fronting on Dallas Road. This is the most desirable residential lot on the market; perfectly situated and is offered at reasonable terms and $200 below the market price, $1500. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. my22

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BOARD—The Leland House, corner of Douglas street and Queen's avenue. Well furnished rooms for families or single boarders at reasonable rates. J. MacCartney, proprietor. my5-1m

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LOST—On Thursday morning a gentleman's leather pile, points in the neighborhood of the Island. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. my29-1w

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Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
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Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; E. G. Kellogg, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Deaken, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. may27-1y

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and Mechanical Engineer. Draughtsman for Patent Office. Office, Moody's Block, 84 Yates street, Victoria, B. C. ap26

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TO INSURE—Your house at lowest rates call on Crane, McGregor and Boggs, agents Citizens. my22

INSURE—In the Sun, Life and Accident. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. my22

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DR. J. HALL
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jy3 E. A. BROWN, Secretary.

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Third Degree
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C. K. of R. & S.
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Shaving outfits, pocket and table cutlery, scissors, etc., in large variety at M. & H. Fox, 78 Government street.

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Large stock of Summer Hats, &c., of every description. Stevens & Jenkins, Douglas street. 2w

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Ice Cream made to order and delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161. New England Bakery, Young Bros., No. 118 and 118 Government street.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

A BIG SALMON RUN EXPECTED IN ALASKA.

The Case of Kremmler Again in Court—Anniversary of the Johnstown Flood Commemorated—No Excuse for the Oakland Railway Disaster.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., June 3.—Information just received here states that Huntingburg and Jasper, of Indiana, were almost swept away last night by a cyclone and many persons were killed and injured. Huntingburg is seventy five miles distant from here and Jasper eighty-two miles. The telegraph and telephone wires are down and particulars cannot be obtained.

Suspicious Fires.

PHŒNIX, Ariz., June 3.—A report received to-day from Tombstone says that on Friday night between nine and one o'clock fires were seen in the White Mountains which from the way they were handled were undoubtedly Indian signal fires probably made to communicate with another band in the Chiricahua Mountains. The fires were on the highest peaks of the mountains and were allowed to blaze for a short time and were suddenly extinguished. It is evident that this is a fresh band direct from the reservation, who will make their way into Sonora on the other side of the Huachacucas and when across the line join those already there.

The Kremmler Murder.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 3.—District Attorney Quinlin and Chas. D. Hatch, attorney for the murderer Kremmler, appeared before the general term of the Supreme Court this morning and at the request of Hatch an order was directed entered confirming the decision of Judge Underwood to the effect that Warden Auburn of the prison was the proper custodian of the condemned man. An appeal to the court of appeals will be made to-day and argument probably will be had at the present term of that court at Saratoga.

The Report Unfounded.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 3.—No corroboration of the reported cyclone at Jasper and Huntingburg, Ind. Officials of the St. Louis air line, which reaches these towns, say the report is untrue.

Actors' Fund.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The ninth annual business meeting of The Actors' Fund of America was held this morning at Palmer's Theatre. A. M. Palmer, President of the fund, presided. There was a good attendance.

A Religious Experience.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Maude Fisher, a religious girl 18 years old, committed suicide yesterday near New Britain, Conn., by drowning herself in a reservoir because she thought she was too wicked to live. The girl was a member of the Episcopal church and was very quiet. She was known as a most zealous Christian and was blameless in her life, but was constantly complaining that she was unable to live up to the exalted idea which she had set up for herself.

Tried to Poison Her Husband.

VINELAND, N. J., June 3.—The wife of Daniel Lockwood, a well to do farmer residing on Vine road, was arrested recently on a charge of trying to poison her husband by placing morphine in his teacup. Lockwood discovered the powder as his wife was about to pour out a cup of tea for him. He snatched the cup away from her and took the powder out and gave it to his daughter who took it to a physician to be analyzed. Mr. Lockwood has been married to this, his second wife, about a year. He is 66 and his wife 45 years old. He came to Vineland from Virginia. Mrs. Lockwood was given a hearing this morning. She was the most composed person in the room and never betrayed the least emotion. Her husband occupied a seat near by. His sons Arthur and Maurice and his son-in-law Elliott Cogswell all swore he came to them and asked them to save his wife arrested as he was afraid she would kill him. There is considerable feeling here favorable to Mrs. Lockwood. Many claim she is the victim of a conspiracy on the part of her husband's children who want to get her out of the way. Mr. Lockwood was recalled later for the purpose of giving additional testimony against his wife but he refused to say anything prejudicial to Mrs. Lockwood and created a sensation and dumbfounded the lawyers for the prosecution by saying that it was his children who advised him to make the charge against his wife instead of him asking the children to make it. The lawyers then virtually threw up the case stating that Lockwood had been induced by some pressure to change his statements made previous to Mrs. Lockwood's arrest. She was discharged.

A Big Salmon Season.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—Recent advices from Alaska state that the prospects for a big salmon season are good. Nearly every vessel of the fleet which left San Francisco is doing well. The Indians prophesy a good season because, according to their calculations, a heavy winter is always followed by a big run of fish.

A Clan-na-Gael Growl.

NEW YORK, June 1.—A local paper says: The triangle faction of the Clan-na-Gael has issued a call for a convention. One of the triangle's opponents, talking to a reporter, said: "It is believed Thomas A. Romayne, known as 'Rubber Band' Romayne, will be elected president. The name of the new organization will probably be the Irish Nationalists, and it will be a sort of a cross between the Land League and the Revolutionary party, with a little dynamite thrown in.

Can Offer no Excuse.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—The scene of Friday's disaster at Oakland was visited by thousands of people to-day. Divers were at work putting hawsers around the submerged engine, which will probably be raised to-morrow. Col. C. F. Crocker stated to-day that investigation showed that the accident was due to carelessness and that Engineer Dunn offers no reasonable explanation that frees him from blame.

A CUTE SWINDLER.

Borrows Money to Insure His Life, and then Simulates Death.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., June 3.—James Christie, a well-known young farmer near Fletcher's Lake, came to this city recently, and obtained $800 from the banks on notes on which he forged the names of farmers living in his neighborhood. Christie then called on an insurance agent and took out a policy of $5000 on his life. While the policy was being written up, Christie purchased a suit of clothes, shoes, hat, etc. Going home, he gave the policy to his wife, and ate his supper. About 8 o'clock a neighbor called, and the two went swimming in a lake near by. Christie swam out into the deep water before his companion was undressed. In a few minutes Christie called to his friend on the bank saying that he had cramps, and to get a boat near by and come to his rescue. The boat was secured, but Christie had disappeared. The lake was dragged for two days and nights in search of Christie. Christie's clothes were found on the bank where he took them off, and tracks were discovered yesterday of a barefooted man going toward Christie's house from the Lake. A peculiar shaped toe which marked itself in the footprints and which tallies with Christie's feet, settles the fact in the minds of neighbors that Christie had made his way home naked while his friend was getting the boat, and donning a new outfit which he had purchased, left the country. Christie was heavily in debt.

JOHNSTOWN'S ANNIVERSARY.

Unknown Bodies Discovered in a Cellar While the Parade Was Passing.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 31.—The anniversary of the great flood was observed to-day by the general draping of business houses in black. The first twelve months after the disaster finds the city well to-do in a business and manufacturing way. As regards building, there is a woeful waste of land, and Johnstown to-day is a rude and rough town compared with the fine city of a year ago. In all the churches and charitable institutions memorial services were held, and an immense service was held over the hundreds of unknown dead in Grand View cemetery. The startling features of the day was the finding of two unknown bodies in an abandoned cellar while the memorial parade was passing.

IN SEARCH OF A MURDERER.

Two Paris Detectives Arrive in America in Search of a French Murderer.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Two distinguished passengers, Francois Barber and Alphonz Dupont, noted detectives of the Paris secret service, have come over from Paris under fictitious names to run down the murderer of Marie Gagnol, the beautiful young woman who was murdered in her apartments in Rue De Provence several weeks ago. Marie Gagnol was a great favorite with the young gallants of the French capital. She had hosts of admirers but she scorned attentions of the wealthiest bankers to take up with a young American of a doubtful reputation who was widely known as "Petit American de la Belle Gagnol." The latter, who is described as a short, thickset man of dark complexion and thirty years of age, secretly avoided coming in contact with Americans in Paris and represented himself as being an Englishman. The French detectives are furnished with a full description of the mysterious "Gaston" who is supposed to be in hiding in Montana and they accordingly left for Helena to-day.

No one can understand the fascination that Africa has for the majority of men who risk their lives in the savage equatorial regions. They come home for a while, but it is not long before they begin to pine for Africa, and off they go to bury themselves again in the jungle or forests. The greater part of the most valued employees of the Congo Free State enlist again if they manage to survive one term of service.

When Miss Jennens made the assertion, in a roundabout and guarded manner, that the women of Cincinnati turned their toes in, a storm of indignant protest rose from the fair inhabitants of the city of pork and music. What, then, shall be said to one who rises up among ourselves (says the Evening Sun) to say that New York women are pigeon-toed? "I hope I shall not be accused of being discourteous or ungallant," said a physician, recently, "if I say that, as a rule, the women of New York turn their toes in when they work. A natural gait turns the toes outward at an angle of about fifteen degrees. Most women turn their toes toward each other at nearly that angle. The cause of it? Well, I should say the first cause is wearing shoes that are too small for them. That causes a natural drawing back of the foot in the shoe that tends to turn the toes inward. Another cause may be the long flights of stairs which New York women climb, both in their homes and out of them. Have you never noticed that in going up a flight of steps women almost invariably turn their toes in? They do. It has been said that they do this to avoid stepping on the skirts of their gowns. At any rate, they do it, and it may be that the habit thus induced tends to perpetuate itself in pigeon-toes. But as to the fact itself, watch women and you will see that it is true."

Take your spring suits to John T. Pierre to be cleaned and repaired. He makes it a specialty. 96 Yates St.

The ladies of Victoria will find it to their interest to examine my stock of white linen before purchasing elsewhere. Stamping done. Mrs. Hendry, 37 View street.

HOME AND FOREIGN.

DISASTROUS FIRE AT OTTAWA TO-DAY AT NOON.

Big Libel Suit in Montreal—Serious Reflection on Chapleau—Spencer, the Kamloops Murderer to be Hanged—After the Czar on the Still Hunt.

OTTAWA, June 3.—Four members of the family named Campeau who were poisoned at Georges lake last Wednesday by eating wild parsnip died and the recovery of the others is doubtful. The family were miserably poor and gathered roots in the woods for food.

Will Not Pay Taxes.

HALIFAX, June 2.—The people of Bay St. George, Newfoundland met in a large concourse on the 24th of May, and passed, amid great enthusiasm, strong resolutions declaring their determination to refuse to pay any duty to St. John, until such time as they received protection in their industries. The herring fisheries is one of the principal means of livelihood of the people, and if prevented from prosecuting that occupation it means complete ruin to them. The meeting was attended by the principal merchants of the place and clergymen of different denominations, and most determined speeches were made. The resolutions were telegraphed to the Governor of St. John's and the Emerald has been ordered to proceed to the scene of action.

To be Hanged.

KAMLOOPS, B. C., June 2.—Frank Spencer, who was arrested in Vancouver in October last by Sergt. McLaren, on suspicion of having murdered Peter Foster on Campbell's ranche, about ten miles east of Kamloops, on the 20th May 1889, was to-day brought before His Honor Justice Walkem for trial, found guilty and sentenced to be hanged on the 22nd day of July.

After the Czar.

PARIS, June 1.—In connection with the case of the arrested nihilists, it is reported that Demski has summoned a meeting for to-day to concert an attempt on the life of the Czar, and a simultaneous rising in different parts of Russia, and twenty nihilists with infernal machines had already started for Russia.

Big Libel Suit.

MONTREAL, June 1.—In the libel suit for $25,000 damages between the Hon. Mr. Chapleau and the late Hon. Mr. Trudel, proprietor of L'Etandard, for stating that Chapleau's career had been such that Sir John Macdonald would not entrust him with the financial portfolio, Justice Mathieu struck out a number of clauses in the defendant's objections to the form of action as well as a number of answers to pleas. The case will now go to trial on its merits and be heard in a few days.

A FIRE AT THE CAPITAL.

A Midday Fire at Ottawa—Loss Estimated at $50,000.

OTTAWA, June 3.—A disastrous conflagration took place here at noon to-day. The planing mills of Thackeray & Co., situated on Sparks street, along with a large quantity of planed and unplaned lumber, was burned to the ground. There is no insurance. The Ontario carriage factory to the rear on Queen street with a large number of valuable carriages and buggies was entirely consumed; partially insured. A large brick building, three stories high, where the sanitary Plumbing Co., Henry & Co.'s saddlery, Gas Inspection office, and Ottawa Manufacturing Co. were located, was gutted, and what was not taken out was destroyed. The loss is estimated at between forty and fifty thousand dollars. The fire is said to have taken place from some parties burning brush in one of the yards.

SHOCKED THE POLICE.

A Young Man Proposes to Wed Queen Victoria—The Derby.

LONDON, June 1.—Alfred Carter, a young Lancashire weaver, pitying Her Majesty's widowed condition, wrote a letter proposing to marry the Queen, and adding that no sum of money would buy him off from the purpose of becoming Her Majesty's husband. The young man was pounced upon by the royal household police and arraigned before a magistrate, who did not take the old time honored view of the case, and shocked the household police by declining to send the youth to a lunatic asylum. Young Carter was turned over to the custody of his father.

The movement for the church disestablishment is arousing much alarm among the churchmen. The Earl of Shelborne, a staunch upholder of the of the establishment, says that the movement must be regarded as within the region of practical politics and to be guarded against more vigilantly for that reason. He protests against the proposed disestablishment of the Church of Scotland on the ground that the act of the union with Scotland made a solemn compact to maintain the established church in that country. The English clergy are evidently greatly aroused to what they regard as a peril to their interests, and are raising a fund for the defense of the church.

The attention of fashionable and sporting London is engrossed by the Derby meeting next Wednesday, which in addition to its importance as a sporting event, will be equally noteworthy as a fashionable rendezvous. The box boxes in the grand stand have already been secured, the greater number of them by wealthy Americans and Australians, who are sojourning in London and who maintain their reputation of being the most flush of all the patrons of the turf and other events in the distribution of money. The Prince of Wales and family will be present on all four days of the meeting and on the principal day, Wednesday, no one will be absent who can by any possibility attend. In order to enable the members of the House of Commons and Lords to witness the event, there will be no sitting of Parliament on Wednesday. Betting is 65 to 90 on Mr. Merry's Surefoot, which is regarded as an almost sure winner. The horse Hehume which ran first in the jockey club race at Paris yesterday, is entered in the Derby and will surely start. He was ridden in yesterday's race by the English jockey, Barrett, who will ride him on Wednesday. He is expected to run second, and by some is backed for a winner.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

Schaeffer, the champion billiard player, has broken the best record ever made by making 3,000 points. The second best was 2,472, made by R. McKenna.

WRESTLING.

Matsada Sorakichi (the Jap) and D. H. Cameron wrestled a Graeco match at Seattle on Saturday evening, when the Jap again managed to best his big opponent. The Jap won the first bout in twenty-three minutes, Cameron won the second in twelve minutes, and the man from Japan won the third bout in twenty-four minutes.

LEWIS WILL MEET ALL COMERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—"Parson" Davies has sent for Evan Lewis, better known as "The Strangler," to come to San Francisco and meet all comers as a catch-as-catch wrestler. Lewis will appear at one of the local theatres and offer prizes to any wrestler whom he cannot throw in a stated time, also a prize to any wrestler gaining a fall from him.

FIVE RECORDS SMASHED.

The fifteenth annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletics of America was held Saturday at Berkley Oluum, New York. Fully 8,000 spectators were present. Nearly all the fifteen colleges connected with the association were represented. The principal feature of the sport was the breaking of the record for 220 yards hurdle by J. P. Lee of Harvard, who covered the distance in 25¼ seconds. Others were the running of Sherill in the 100 and 220 yards events in 10 1-5 and 22 1-2 seconds, respectively; also of Dohm in half a mile in 1:57, and Williams in a 120 yard hurdle in 16 1-5 seconds. Five intercollegiate records were smashed by Lee, Dohm, Sherill and Williams. The cup for the college scoring the most points was captured by Harvard.

THE RIFLE.

NEW YORK, June 3.—One hundred and fifty sharpshooters sailed from Hoboken to-day on the steamship Fulda for Bremen. They go as part of the 10,000 marksmen from all parts of the world who are to assemble in the early part of July at Paukon, Germany, and shoot for a prize. A large number of friends on a steamboat accompanied the steamship down to Sandy Hook. A second band of sharpshooters will sail en route to the same destination by the Welland on June 12th.

The Victoria Athletic Club will meet to-morrow night to consider the matter of holding a private picnic.

A number of the city sports are building a hunting lodge at Sooke Lake for use in the hunting and fishing season.

KEELY DISCLOSES HIS SECRET.

The Inventor Tells What his Mysterious Motive Force Really is.

John W. Keely, the mysterious motor inventor, revealed some of his long hidden secrets for the first time Sunday, through the columns of the New York World. "I have finished my works," exclaims Keely. "I have discovered my force. I have accomplished my task." He declares that he is simply trammeled by mechanical difficulties, and when these are overcome his great discovery will stand revealed. "Henceforward there is nothing for me to do," are his words, "but to wait until the mechanics can make me a perfect machine. When that is done I will at once demonstrate my discovery to the world. That is my great, and, indeed, my only difficulty now. The apparatus with which I am compelled to work is, and has been, mechanically defective. When it is correctly made I will challenge the world to deny what I affirm with and through it."

When asked what was his own explanation of the force which he has discovered, he said: "I have succeeded in linking on to the polar current sympathetically, and in so sensitizing machinery as to be able to operate it (the machinery) from that force. My force is a condition of sympathetic vibration, associated with the terrestrial polar stream positively and negatively." In explaining why a vibratory disk attached to his transmitter revolved continuously, he said: "There is a triple sympathetic order of vibration diverting the positive and negative currents to one general polarized center; this rotary action is continuous when sympathetically associated with the polar stream."

Mr. Keely says he is at work upon two books, soon to be published, in which he will fully explain his theories and the force which he has discovered.

The World gives some details concerning the encouragement and financial support given to Keely by Mrs. Bloomfield Moore, of Philadelphia. A copy of an agreement made between the inventor and the lady, made April 5th, 1890, is given, in which Mrs. Bloomfield Moore agrees to furnish Keely with all the money to pursue his researches, and to pay for the building of the first Keely engine. A copy is also given of a codicil of Mrs. Bloomfield Moore's will, dated March 25th, 1890, in which she leaves an annuity of $5000 to Keely "as long as he needs the money to continue his researches."

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY AT THE DOMINION CAPITAL.

How a Street Railway Company and a Corporation May Get at Loggerheads—What it May Come to in Victoria When a Company Gets the Clinch on the City.

OTTAWA, May 24.—The Queen's Birthday at the capital, as far as its observance is concerned, partakes of the same kind year after year, unless the corporation is pressed by the citizens to have a public celebration. This year there was no such demonstration, but for all that everything was congenial to permit every citizen, no matter how situated, whether wealthy or otherwise, to enjoy him or herself to the fullest extent. There was a cricket match between the Torontos and Ottawas, and the latter badly beat the former. The match, as all such matches do, took place in front of Rideau Hall, and in consequence there of the bon ton of the city was in attendance. A lacrosse match between one of Ottawa's best and one of Montreal's best teams was played in the forenoon, and of course Ottawa came out victorious. There was the St. Patrick's picnic on the Exhibition grounds, a place noted for civic scandals as far as the expenditure of the people's finances are concerned, and it was the duty of every true born Irishman, or the descendant of one, to attend. It is needless to say that they did so. By rail and water there were excursions galore. But one of the newest public resorts in the vicinity of Ottawa is a place called Rockliffe, about a mile or so beyond New Edinburgh, a place now within the city limits. It is one of the most lovely groves which could be found anywhere, and its near approach to the city makes it exceedingly more valuable and vastly more appreciable. There is excellent fishing, good boating and just grand camping grounds. Best of all is that a horse-car railway reaches it from the city, and the modest fare of ten cents takes you there and back.

A CORPORATION AT BAY.

It has often been said that corporations have no souls, but the Street Railway Company of Ottawa have demonstrated that it, at all events, can make its own terms with the city. In years gone by, when such institutions as street railways were novelties, and when the bus companies had all their own way, a certain number of gentlemen here got a charter from the corporation to run a street railway, and it is of such a character that the company have it all their own way. From His Excellency's residence, not a very palatial or aristocratic abode, as many of your citizens know, to the vast lumbering industries at the Chaudiere, which is the main support of the city, this street railway company does just as it pleases, and operates its line to suit itself. The old-fashioned iron rail, with a wooden enclosure, about four inches high and about the same depth is utilized, merely for the purpose of smashing buggies, upsetting carts, and doing anything else that could be imagined objectionable and mischievous. The road has well fulfilled its object of its creation. Courts of law have been appealed to by the city, but the Street Railway Company's charter was more than sufficient to permit them in extending their ideas of mischief to oppressed citizens. Thousands of dollars have been blown to the winds in litigation but the soulless corporation had at last to admit that it was beaten. Not only was this the case, but when the road, if such a name may be applied, was obliged to be repaired, the Street Railway Company called upon the city to do so and the latter had to consent.

A DAY OF RECKONING.

At last, after many years of trial and tribulation, after several years of appealing to the law for a remedy, and nothing gained, a day of reckoning arrived. The charter of the city railway extended to the old limits of the city at the Rideau River, which they crossed to New Edinburgh, the vice regal village, under some arrangement with the municipality, to the portals of that place where Ottawa's so-called aristocracy dearly love to have an entree to, namely, Rideau Hall. In the course of time this pretty little village came into the city limits, the bounds of which has been extending like a spider's web. Later on the popular resort to which I have referred, Rockliffe was sought to be reached by the street railway. It was looked upon as a paying investment to do so. The Ottawa Street Railway Company never do anything that don't pay, and they are monstrous conservative in sticking to what was in use some fifteen or twenty years ago. The road had about one hundred yards distant to get out of the corporation into the adjoining country, but the corporation was irresistible, and therefore passengers have to walk over this one hundred yards carrying lunch baskets and babies to reach the new extension, built to run to the resort I have referred to.

WHO SUFFERS.

While these two antagonists are engaged in a child like quarrel we, the people, pay the whistle. Among that ponderous and mighty we is your humble servant, "Slabtown." Can it be wondered that he who for four long months was immured in politics and covered over with the wearisome, if not nauseous breaths of both political parties, and the loathsome revelations of one scandal after another, was disgusted when he met with such obstructions to his first pleasant day's outing after enduring one of the meanest parliamentary sessions that has taken place since Confederation. Times readers will find little interest in all these things but they will forbear with their humble and devoted servant,

SLABTOWN.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Punished for Smoking in Church—Fell into a Boiling Vat.

A young woman named Fleury, aged 25, while carrying her master's dinner to him in his tannery at Quebec, fell into a vat of boiling water. The unfortunate girl's flesh was so scalded that it fell off with her garments when the people tried to undress her. She is in fearful agony and cannot live.

Chas Hayes, a brakeman residing at Walkerville, Ont., was accidentally killed while coupling two cars at the Windsor yard this morning. He was the only man who positively identified Burchell, the alleged murderer of the young Englishman, Benwell, near Woodstock.

A dispatch says an attempt was made to rob the Battleford mail while lying up at Battleford station Saturday night. The would-be robber overhauled two sacks of newspapers and demanded that the courier, E. Woodcock, open up the registered and other letters which were inside. Woodcock shot through the door and the robber fled shrieking with pain. The registered and other mails are believed to be all right.

The village of St. Jacques de Lachigan, Quebec, was almost totally destroyed by fire Monday morning. Twenty-eight houses were destroyed, also a number of large tobacco warehouses. The loss is $100,000. Fifty persons are made homeless.

S. H. Shaw, proprietor of the woollen mills at Fish Creek, was arraigned before Supt. McIlree at the police barracks, Calgary, charged with disturbing public worship in the Church of England, at Fish Creek, by smoking a pipe. Shaw claimed that he did not smoke while the service was going on, but when the benediction was being pronounced. He was sentenced to pay $10 and costs or fourteen days in jail. He took the latter.

At 10:10 this morning the Canadian Pacific train steamed into Windsor station bearing the Royal party, composed of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and suite. The station was completely filled, as also were all the streets leading to it. Addresses were delivered in English and French. His Royal Highness bore the latter ordeal bravely, and at once replied, speaking French with an accent which delighted the hearts of the French aldermen, after which he repeated substantially the same remarks in English. The party then entered a carriage, and after a short drive, proceeded to the residence of Sir Geo. Stephen and had lunch. In the afternoon, they had another drive and witnessed a lacrosse match.

A fleet of war ships has arrived at Halifax from Bermuda, including the "Partridge," a comparatively new gunboat of the first-class, and sister ship of the "Thrush." She carries six guns. There is a rumor that a regiment of the line and two batteries of artillery are about to start from England for Newfoundland.

The northern part of Sofia city has been wrecked by a hurricane. The loss of life is considerable. Among the soldiers the killed and wounded number fourteen. The loss among the inhabitants has not yet been ascertained. The damage to the palace amounts to $300,000.

A letter from the Czar, written in reply to the Queen of Denmark, is published. In the letter the Czar promises strict inquiry into the Siberia scandals and to instruct the ministers to adopt measures for the amelioration of the exiles' condition.

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38 " Single width CRAPE CLOTHS	60
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LEGAL NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Part of Subdivision Lot 5 and another part (2 acres) of section XXXIV Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to the above lands will issued to George Thomson on the 10th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 30th April, 1890. apr30-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 224 in the City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall register the above lot in the name of Robert Purvis McLennan and Edward J. McNeale as owners in fee simple, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 26th day of March 1890, by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within three months from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 3rd April, 1890. apr3-3m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Part of Section 30 Range VIII, Quamichan District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to a portion of the above mentioned section will be issued to Henry Fry, junior, on the 16th day of June, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in such portion of said section or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 16th April 1890. ap16-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 38, 40, 45, 47, 267, 1190 the N. ½ of Lot 25, the easterly ½ of Lot 74, and parts of Lots 277 and 278 in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lands will be issued to Walter Grant Chambers on the 8th day of August, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 7th May, 1890. my15-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase certain land in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, containing 640 acres.

THOMAS MATHEWS,
BYRON BOLMER WEST,
THOMAS McFARLANE GRAHAM,
JAMES PUSEY.

May 10th, 1890. my15-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sixty days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, commencing at a stake on the south west shore of Bonilla point, at two and a half miles, east of Bonilla point, running north 10 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence following shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

JOSIAH JAQUES.

Victoria, May 19th 1890. my19-2m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THIRTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a highway 33ft. wide from Bridge Crossing Creek near my house to John Musson trail about three miles north and passing through the south east corners of Lots 202, 12 and 38, this route to be the public trail in lieu of the old one abandoned for some years.

THOMAS ELLIS.

Penticton, May 14, 1890. m14-1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land near Mission Valley Cheyoose division of Yale district, commencing at post, being south west corner of Wilson's purchase claim, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement.

ROBERT MUNSON.

May 19th 1890. my20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date I intend applying to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut, foll and carry away timber off a tract of land situated in Cowichan District, on Vancouver Island, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake planted on the east bank of Adams lake, nearly the south west corner post of Indian reserve thence east 80 chains, following back line of Indian reserve; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES FELL.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1890. ap19-4t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date we, the undersigned intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease for timbering purposes, of the following tract of land in the West Kootenay District, commencing at a post on the left bank of Fort Shepherd Creek about three miles from its mouth, on the western boundary of the meadow land reserved on behalf of the Kootenay Valleys Company in the Lower Kootenay Valley; thence due west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 3 miles; thence south 80 chains; thence east 3 miles; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence following south western boundary of the reserve aforesaid; thence following south western boundary to the initial point, containing 2000 acres, more or less.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
W. F. SAYWARD,
Nelson, B. C., May 12, 1890. per C.W.R.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ACCOUNTS against the Victoria Jockey Club are requested to hand in same on or before 31st May, 1890.

D. R. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

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CHAPTER VI.

IN WHICH A TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN MRS. SCORBITT AND J. T. MASTON IS INTERRUPTED.

President Barbicane was already convinced that he would reach his object, when the amount which had been raised took another obstacle out of his way. Had he not been perfectly sure of success he would not have made an application for a public subscription. And now the funds had come when the North Pole would be conquered. It was felt certain that President Barbicane and his Council of Administration had means to succeed where so many others had failed. They would do what neither Franklin, nor Kane, nor De Long, nor Nares, nor Greely had been able to accomplish. They would pass the 84th parallel, they would take possession of the vast region purchased at an auction sale, they would make this country the thirty-sixth state in the flag of the American Union. "Fake," was all which the European delegates and their friends in the Old World could say. Nothing was more true, however, and this practical, logical means of conquering the North Pole, which was so simple that it was almost childish, was one which J. T. Maston had suggested to them. It was that brain, whose ideas were constantly evolving, which had laid out this great geographical project in a way which could not but succeed.

It does not be too often repeated that the secretary of the gun club was a remarkable calculator, we might say a post-graduate calculator. But a single day was needed by him to solve the most complicated problems in mathematical science. You should have seen him bent over his figures, the signs which make up algebra, the letters in the alphabet representing the unknown quantities, the square or crossed lines representing the way in which quantities are to be operated. All signs and lines and radicals used in this complex language were perfectly familiar to him. And how they all flew around under his pen, or rather under the piece of chalk which was attached to his iron hand, because he condemned to work on a blackboard. And this blackboard, six inches square, this small he wanted, he was perfectly at home in his work. Nor was it figures alone which he used in his calculations. The figures were fantastic, gigantic, written with a practiced hand. His "3" and "8" were as nice and round as they could be, his "7" looked like crutches and almost invited a person to hang on it. His 9's as well formed as a dancer's eyeglasses, and the letters with which he established his formulas, the rest of the alphabet, a, b, c, which he used to represent given or known quantities, and the last, x, y, z, which he used for unknown quantities to be discovered, particularly the "x" and those Greek letters, delta, omega, alpha, finally, an Archimedes might have been quite proud of them. And those other signs made with a clean hand and without fault, it was simply astonishing. His + showed well that this sign meant the addition of one object to the other. His —, if it was a little smaller, was also in good shape. His =, too, showed that J. T. Maston lived in a country where equality was not a vain expression, at least among the people of the white race. Just as well were his > and his < and his >< used in expressing proportions. And the $\sqrt{\ }$, which indicated the root of a certain number or quantity, was to him a mark of triumph, and when he completed it with a horizontal line in this $\sqrt{\ }$ it seemed as if this outline on his blackboard would compel the whole world to submit to his figuring.

But do not think that Mr. J. T. Maston's mathematical intelligence was confined to elementary algebra! No; no matter what figuring he had to do, it was alike familiar to him, and with a practiced hand he made all the signs of figures, and even did not hesitate at "," which looks very simple, but behind which lays a great deal of calculation. The same with the sign epsilon, which represents the sum of a finished number. Also the sign ∞ by which the mathematicians designate the infinite, and all those mysterious symbols which are used in this language, and which are unknown to the common people. This astonishing man was able to do anything even in the very highest grades of mathematics. Such was J. T. Maston. And therefore it was that his associates had such perfect confidence in him when he set out to figure the most difficult problems in his audacious brain. This it was which had led the gun club to trust him with the difficult problem of sending a projectile to the moon. And this was why Mrs. Evangelina Scorbitt, jealous of his fame, felt for him an admiration which shaded in love. In this present case, that is, how to solve the conquest of the North Pole, J. T. Maston had but to begin to think and dream himself into the Arctic regions. The result of his solution the secretary had but to undertake certain mathematical problems, very complicated, perhaps, but for which in all cases he would come out a winner.

It was safe to trust Mr. J. T. Maston, for where the smallest and simplest mistake would have meant a loss of millions. Never, since the time his youthful brain began to think of mathematics, had he committed a mistake—not even one of a thousandth part of an inch, if his calculations were made up of a length of an object. If he had made a mistake of only the smallest amount he would have torn his gains perhaps up from his head. Now let us see him while engaged in his calculations, and for this purpose we must go back a few weeks.

It was about a month before the publication of the circular addressed to the inhabitants of the Old and New Worlds that Mr. Maston had undertaken to figure out the elements of a scheme in which he had promised his associates the greatest success. For a number of years Mr. Maston had lived at No. 179 Franklin street, one of the most quiet streets of Baltimore, far away from the center of business, for which he did not care any thing, far away from the noise of the great crowd, which disgusted him. There he occupied a modest little house, known by the name of "Ballistic Cottage," having for his income only his pension allowed to him as a retired officer of artillery and the salary which he received as secretary of the gun club. He lived alone, served by his negro "Fire-Fire." This negro was not an ordinary servant; he was rather an appreciative friend and treated his master as if he were his own brother. Mr. Maston was a decided bachelor, having an idea that being a bachelor was the only sensible way of living in the present world. He knew the proverb, "a woman can draw more with one hair than four oxen at the plow," and he disproved it. If he occupied his cottage alone it was only because he wished to do so. We know that he only had to make the motion to change his solitude of one to a company of two and his small income to the income of a millionaire. He did not doubt it. Mrs. Evangelina Scorbitt would have been only too happy to * * * But up to this time Mr. Maston had not been happy to * * * and it seemed certain that these two beings, so well made one for the other—at least this was the opinion of the tender widow—would never reach the transformation period. The cottage was a very simple one. A ground floor, with a veranda and a floor over it; a small parlor and small dining-room, with a kitchen and another room in an outbuilding standing at the back of the garden. Upstairs his sleeping-room and his working studio, looking on the garden, and where the noise of the outer world could never penetrate. Within these walls there had been made calculations which would have made Newton, Euclid or Laplace jealous. How different was the mansion of Mrs. Evangelina Scorbitt, situated in the richest quarter of New Park, with a facade to balconies, finished in the finest architecture, half Roman-Saxon, half Gothic, with its richly-furnished apartments, its grand halls, its picture galleries, in which French artists held the highest places; its magnificent staircases, its great number of domestics, its stables, its coach-houses, its garden, with the finest of flowers, statues, fountains, and the tower on the top of the building, on which the blue and gold coat-of-arms of the Scorbitt family was upon a glittering banner. Three miles, three long miles at least separated the palace at New Park from the "Ballistic Cottage." But a private telephone wire connected there, and in answer to "Hollo! hello!" a conversation could be carried on between the mansion and cottage. If the persons could not look at each other they could at least hear each other. It will astonish none to hear that time upon time Mrs. Scorbitt began talking and ringing on the telephone to Mr. Maston when he was busily engaged with his figures. Then the calculator had to quit his work with some reluctance. He received a friendly "How do you do?" from Mrs. Scorbitt, which he answered with a grunt, which was sweetened into a kindly greeting by the distance over the telephone. After a conversation he was glad to go back to his figures. It was on the 3d of December, after a long and last conference, that Mr. Maston took leave of his friends and members of the club to begin to do his share of the work. It was a very important work with which he had charged himself, for it was the question of figure mechanical appliance which would enable him to gain access to the North Pole, and which would allow him to make use of those large fields of snow now covered with impenetrable ice. He estimated that he needed at least a week to accomplish this mysterious calculation, exceedingly complicated and delicate to handle, involving several deep and important problems. Therefore, to avoid all unnecessary annoyance, it had been decided that the secretary of the gun club should retire to his cottage and that he should not be disturbed by any one. This was a great disappointment for Mrs. Evangelina Scorbitt, but she was compelled to accept it. While President Barbicane, Captain Nicholl and his associates, the jolly Bilsby, Colonel Bloomsberry, Tom Hunter, with the wooden leg, were all trying their good-byes to him and wishing him success, Mrs. Evangelina Scorbitt appeared and made her last visit to Mr. Maston.

"You will succeed, my dear," said she, at the moment of separation.

"And, above all, do not make a mistake," added President Barbicane.

"A mistake! Ha!" exclaimed Mrs. Scorbitt.

"No more than God has made a mistake in putting together this world," modestly answered the secretary. Then, after shaking hands all around and after several more sighs and wishes of success and suggestions not to make too severe work of it, the calculator was left alone. The door of the Ballistic cottage was closed and Fire-Fire had orders to admit none, not even if the President of the United States should ask admission.

During his first two days of seclusion J. D. Maston thought and thought, without even touching the piece of chalk, upon the problem which he had taken on himself. He consulted certain books relative to the elements, the earth—its size, its thickness, its volume, its form, its rotation upon its axis—all elements which he had to use as the basis of his calculations.

The principles of these elements which he used, and which we put before the reader, were as follows:

Form of the earth: An ellipsis of revolution the longest radius of which is 6,377,398 meters; the shortest, 6,356,080 meters. The circumference of the earth at the equator, 40,000 kilometers. Surface of the earth, approximate estimate, 510,000,000 of square kilometers. Bulk of the earth, about 1,000 millards of cubic kilometers; that is, a cube having a meter in length, height and thickness. Density of the earth, about five times that of the water. Time of the earth on the orbit around the sun, 365

HE BEGAN HIS CALCULATION WITH A DIAGRAM.

days, 6 hours, 9 minutes, 10 seconds, 37 centimemes. This gives the globe a speed of 30,400 miles traveled over by the rotation of the earth upon its axis. For a point of its surface situated at the equator, 465 meters per second. These were the principal measures of space, time, bulk, etc., which Mr. Maston used in his calculations.

It was the 5th of October, about five o'clock in the afternoon, it is important to mention, when this remarkable work was begun, when J. T. Maston began to work upon it. He began his calculation with a diagram representing the circumference of the earth around one of its grand circles, say the equator. The blackboard was there, in a corner of his study, upon a polished oak easel, with good light shining on it, coming from one of the windows near by. Small pieces of chalk were on the board attached to the stand. The sponge was near the hand of the calculator. His right hand, or rather his right hook, was all ready for the placing of figures which he was going to use. Standing up Mr. Maston made a large round circle, which represented the world. The equator he marked by a straight line. Then in the right corner of the blackboard he began to put the figures which represented the circumference of the earth:

40,000,000.

This done, he began figuring on his problem. He was so much occupied by it that he had not observed the weather without. For an hour a storm had raved through the country which affected all living beings. It was a terrific storm, the rain was falling in torrents, every thing seemed turned upside down in nature. Two or three times lightning had illuminated the scene around him. But the mathematician, more and more absorbed in his work, saw and heard nothing. Suddenly an electric bolt, attracted by the lightning outside, sparkled in his room, and this disturbed the calculator. "Well," said Mr. Maston, "if unwelcome visitors can not get in by the door they come by telephone. A nice invention for people who wish to be left alone. I will go to work and cut off the electric wire, so I will not be disturbed again while my figuring lasts." With this he went to the telephone and said, sternly: "Who wants to talk to me? Just make it short." The reply came back: "Did you not recognize my voice, my dear Mr. Maston?" "It is I, Mrs. Scorbitt." "Mrs. Scorbitt! She will never give me a moment's rest," uttered Mr. Maston to himself in a low voice that she could not hear. Then he thought he should at least answer her in a polite manner, and said: "Oh, is that you, Mrs. Scorbitt?"

"Yes, dear Mr. Maston."

"And what I can do for Mrs. Scorbitt?" asked Maston.

"I want to tell you that a terrible storm and lightning is destroying a large [illegible] of our city." "Well," he replied, "I can not help it." "But I want to ask whether you have thought to close your windows?" Mrs. Scorbitt had hardly finished her sentence when a terrible thunderbolt struck the town. It struck in the neighborhood of the Ballistic Cottage, and the electricity, passing along the wire with which the telephone was provided, threw the calculator to the floor with a terrible force. J. T. Maston made the best summersault he ever did in his life. His metal hook had touched the live wire and he was thrown down like a shuttlecock. The blackboard, which he had struck in his fall, was now flying to pieces over all of the room. Then the electricity passed into other objects and disappeared through the floor. The stupefied Mr. Maston got up and touched the different parts of his body to assure himself that he was not hurt internally. This done, he resumed his cold, calculating way. He picked every thing up in his room, put it in the same place where it had been before, and put his blackboard on the easel, picked up the small pieces of chalk, and began again his work which had been so suddenly interrupted. He noticed that on account of the fall the number which he had made on the right side of the blackboard was partly erased and he was just about to replace it when his telephone again rang with a loud noise. "Again," said J. T. Maston, and going to the telephone he exclaimed: "Who is there?" "Mistress Scorbitt." "And what does Mrs. Scorbitt want?" "Did not this terrible thunderbolt strike Ballistic Cottage? I have good reasons to think so. Ah, great God, the thunderbolt!"

"Don't be alarmed, Mrs. Scorbitt."

"You have not been injured, Mr. Maston?"

"Not at all," he replied.

"You are sure you have no injuries whatever," said the lady.

"I am only touched by your kindness toward me," replied Mr. Maston, thinking it the best way to answer.

"Good evening, dear Mr. Maston."

"Good evening, dear Mrs. Scorbitt."

Returning to his work Mr. Maston said, sotto voce: "To the devil with her. If she had not handled the telephone at such a time I would not have run the risk of being hurt by electricity."

Mr. Maston did not wish to be interrupted in his work again, and so took down his telephone and cut the wire. Then, taking again as basis the figure which he had written, he added different formulas of it, and finally a certain formula which he had written on his left side, and then he began to figure in all the language of algebra. A week later, on October 11, this magnificent calculation was finished, and the secretary of the gun club brought his solution of the problem with great pride and satisfaction to the members of the gun club, who were awaiting it with very natural impatience. This, then, was the practical way to get to the North Pole mathematically discovered. Here was also a society, under the name of the N. R. P. A., to which the Government at Washington had accorded a clear title to the Arctic region in case they should buy it on auction, and we have told of the purchase made in favor of American buyers and of the appeal for a subscription of $15,000,000.

[To be Continued.]

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NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, we intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the House of Commerce, Douglas Stillinge & McCluskey to sell liquors by retail at the "Regent Saloon," corner of Government and Johnson street.

my10-1m C. R. McCLUSKEY.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the "Old Ship Inn," Wharf street, from Chas. R. McCluskey to Felix Lesloui.

my10-1m FELIX LESLOUIS.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the "Grand Pacific" corner Johnson and Store streets, from J. Bone to James Daley. JAMES DALEY.

my12-1m

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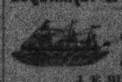

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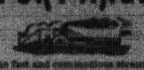

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COING SOUTH. READ UP.			A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
		VICTORIA	8 00	3 30	10 30
		SOOKE ROAD	8 12	3 42	10 42
		GOLDSTREAM	8 17	3 47	10 47
		COLWOOD	8 22	3 52	10 52
		LANGFORD	8 27	3 57	10 57
		GOLDSTREAM	8 32	4 02	11 02
		MILLSTREAM	8 37	4 07	11 07
		BRIDGE CREEK	8 41	4 11	11 11
		CHEMAINUS	9 15	4 45	11 45
		NANAIMO	10 15	5 45	12 45
		WELLINGTON	10 35	6 05	1 05
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		WELLINGTON	1 00	7 00	2 00
		NANAIMO	1 20	7 20	2 20
		CHEMAINUS	2 20	8 20	3 20
		BRIDGE CREEK	2 54	8 54	3 54
		MILLSTREAM	2 58	8 58	3 58
		GOLDSTREAM	3 03	9 03	4 03
		LANGFORD	3 08	9 08	4 08
		COLWOOD	3 13	9 13	4 13
		GOLDSTREAM	3 18	9 18	4 18
		SOOKE ROAD	3 23	9 23	4 23
		VICTORIA	3 35	9 35	4 35

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ROBSONIAN MENDACITY.

The Premier, with a reckless disregard for his record, that of his colleagues, and that of the present attitude of his chief journalistic exponent, prates about his "unbounded belief in the nobility of labor." When it is borne in mind that not until the last session of the Legislature could the Government be persuaded to pass a bill forbidding the employment of Chinese underground in coal mines; when it is borne in mind that the Attorney-General and the President of the Council fiercely opposed the amendments to the Lien Act; when it is borne in mind that last summer, when the Chinese question was being agitated anent the rumor that the per capita tax was to be repealed, the Government spoke not a word, while the Colonist refused to commit itself on the question; when all these things are borne in mind, the Hon. JOHN ROBSON'S "unbounded belief in the nobility of labor" resolves itself into the tiresome iteration of a blatant demagogue, brands him, in fact, as a deliberate falsifier of his own record. The Hon. JOHN ROBSON declares it his policy to exempt from taxation the homestead of the workingman to the extent of $500 or $600. How long has this been the policy of the Hon. JOHN ROBSON? When did he suddenly wake up to the fact that the homesteads of workingmen should be exempted from taxation? If such has been *his* opinion, and his policy, why has he not enunciated it before? Is fiscal reform a new issue before the people? How does the Hon. JOHN ROBSON account for his suddenly waking up to the fact that the homes of workingmen should be exempted from taxation? The fact of the matter is, he cannot account for it except as a demagogic appeal for votes inspired by the exigencies of the coming election. The workingmen of this province have nothing to expect from the Hon. JOHN ROBSON, nor any of his colleagues, in the way of friendly legislation. Their records for the past five years are against it. Whatever may be the virtues of the ROBSON Government, this one thing is certain, it cannot claim the virtue of having been the friend of the workingman. Men are to be judged by their acts and not by their professions.

PORTLAND—A RAILWAY TERMINAL.

Railway advices from Portland are to the effect that temporary terminal accommodations are being arranged so that all trains of the Union, Northern and Southern Pacific will start from the west on the Portland side of the river. [illegible] of the Union Pacific branch to the Sound has been let and work will be begun in a few days. It is not easy to understand what it means, the converging of three trans-continental railway lines on Portland. Portland is not a first not yet a second class sea port, nor yet is Astoria if we consider the Columbia bar. It is true that the improvements the Government have made and are contemplating on the bar will tend to minimize its dangers, but one can scarcely conceive that it should be made the irdo focal point of the railway lines in question, as the concentration of three continental railway lines on Portland would seem to indicate. It, however, such be the intention of the railway magnates, if the nearness of Astoria to the sea more than counterbalances the comparatively inland ports on the Sound, the bustling future now anticipated for the Sound cities, will necessarily be postponed for a few years longer. The hopes of speculators will disappear as mist before the morning sun. There is this redeeming feature about it, however, Washington does not require to be bolstered up by competing lines of trans-continental railways. There will be a re-action, doubtless, but it will be temporary. The natural resources of Washington coupled with the proportion of foreign trade which she is bound to command will compensate for untoward railway combinations. In a word the country in a year or two will catch up, and force ahead the cities which have grown so rapidly on the basis of railway expectations.

"CONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT."

HENRY WATTERSON, of the Louisville Journal, said recently, says the Oregonian, that: "The genius of the country is no longer engaged in works of patriotic duty, imagination and humble piety, but in construction and development in money making. This money devil is the lion across the highway of our future, and he stands fast at the fork of the roads which lead respectively up the heights of national glory and down into the depths of plutocracy, which yawns before us."

The Oregonian dissents from this view, holding it to be the doctrine of every "social pessimist and political mugwump." It could be wished that the Oregonian is correct in its view, but the signs of the times indicate that its optimism, like WATERSON'S pessimism, is rather too sweeping. For all that the genius of the country is engaged in "construction and development in money making," the patriotic instinct is not dead, but with regard to the latter, there is none too much of it. The character of the times is one which justifies an occasional pessimistic wail. We should have more faith in the future were it not true that "construction and development" as they are being pushed are creating a gulf between capital and labor essentially as impassible as that which separated DIVES from LAZARUS. The selfish instincts of the former, increasing day by day, while indubitably productive of benefits, induce a train of evils, nevertheless, which are keenly felt by the less favored classes, engendering a feeling of hostility to the methods employed which most inevitably produce a crisis. Behold labor gatherings? Can there be any mistaking the suppressed hostility to the existing condition of things that these manifest? Listen to the demagogue as he harangues labor. Are not the responses which greet his assertions of the unscrupulousness of capital deep and fierce? What crowds listen to HENRY GEORGE, and who among labor disapprove the doctrine of "Looking Backward." These are signs which no man can afford to ignore, and it strikes the observing man that prudence demands that "construction and development" had better be tempered with a higher motive than money making, if a social cataclysm would be avoided. The question is, shall we construct and develop, as were the Pyramids, in blood, or shall we go slower, develop in the due proportion which admits of profit to the whole race? We cannot afford to erect any altars to vanity. In considering public interests, the whole of the public must be included. It is useless to tell labor that it is getting a square deal so long as it can point to trusts and men, who, like ROCKEFELLER, have amassed millions within the period of twenty-five years. There is reason for pessimism but the time for reform is not yet passed. That, however, reforms of the most radical character are urgently needed goes without saying. Something must be done to disestablish the tendency of capital to ride into plutocracy on the backs of half starved millions. Material progress is desirable, but not at the expense of the moral and physical retrogression of the many. Another twenty-five years characterized by the abuses, legislative and otherwise, which have been perpetrated since the war, and American institutions will have to pass through another crucial test.

THE NEW VOTE.

A problem which troubles the politicians just now is, how will the new voters go. A large number of men who have resided in the Province for years will vote at the coming election for the first time. It is through no fault of their own that these men have not voted in the past but as a consequence of the senseless registration system which the Governments of this country seemed determined to inflict upon it. A man cannot vote at Dominion, Provincial, municipal or school trustee elections without making a separate registration in each case. Each has widely different qualification and different forms of application and each a different official superintends the collecting of votes. With such a multiplicity of qualifications, of officials and formula the ordinary individual coming to the province is bewildered and often amazed that it should be so difficult to exercise the rights of a freeman in his country. But so it is. Not 49 per cent. of the men who have come—say to Victoria as it affords the best illustration—during the past four years have voted at the many elections held in that time. It is to be hoped, therefore, when election day comes that every man will make it a point to vote and thus demonstrate to the powers that men are quite willing to perform their full duty in the governing of the country when not restricted by an abominable registration system.

MR. BEAVEN ON LAND IMPROVEMENTS.

The Colonist says Mr. BEAVEN has become a convert to Mr. HENRY GEORGE'S theory of the single tax, and to establish its statement produces extracts from our report of his remarks at the theatre on Friday last.

The quotations referred to had reference to the principle of relieving the improvements made upon land from a large proportion of the taxation. This principle as Mr. BEAVEN explained he had advocated many years ago and had in a measure succeeded in incorporating it, in an amended or permissive form, in the Municipal Act of last session.

To take such remarks and apply them to a different proposition is no doubt considered by the Colonist editor a fair method of expounding a man's opinion.

JOURNALISTIC AMENITIES.

It is not a little amusing, and to some extent points a moral to adorn a tale, to note the interruption of the entente cordiale which hitherto existed between the Mainland papers and the Colonist. Less than six months ago when the TIMES and the Colonist were exchanging incivilities, the high moral tone taken by the Mainland papers in deprecation thereof, not the least among which was the Columbian, tended to encourage the opinion that Victoria newspapers, the TIMES especially, had fallen very low in the journalistic scale. We took these reproofs somewhat seriously, but we justified ourselves on the ground that over the shoulders of the Colonist we were pounding a degenerate and worthless gang who were masquerading not as politicians merely, but as patriots. We also warned the Columbian against a warm support of these fellows. We argued that men whose every move was dictated by venal considerations were capable of prospective deviltry. But the Columbian only sneered at us. A few days later, or to be more strictly accurate, a few months later, our prognostications materialized. Then rose the Columbian in its wrath, all the more wrathful because of having been made the victim of a confidence game, and assailed its great high priest, and now later on in vituperative terms the Colonist. We are not defending the Colonist. So far as we are concerned the Columbian may pile vituperation on our Government street contemporary mountain high and we shall only laugh. We simply mention the changes incident to the whirligig of time, and respectfully call the attention of the public to the viciousness which the "unco guid" can manifest on the strength of the goring of the Mainland bull.

The Masses in India.

The Indian peasantry has changed in no characteristic features from what it was in the early periods of the Aryan age. In those [illegible] the tillage of the soil went on in [illegible] presence of the contending armies. It was understood that the cultivators were not to be molested by either party, and thus they were at liberty to cultivate relations of benevolent neutrality, that is, of indifference in regard to both. Nowhere in their history is it recorded that they ever spontaneously took up sword and buckler in defence of their immediate lord, or more distant overlord. They could fight when forced to do so, but it had to be in a cause that concerned themselves, without reference to any quarrel that might be going on between their own chief and those of any outsider. In what respect have they changed since those remote times? So long as they are not harassed or plundered in the cultivation of their Lilliputian farms, they little care as to the form of government under which they lead their laborious existence. The salt duty affects them slightly. If the price of that universal condiment be low, they may indulge in its use a little more freely; if it be high, they deny themselves, or pay their money with grumbling. It is simply a bazar commodity, and is liable to fluctuations like any other form of seasoning. They buy it from day to day with the other materials of their simple meal, and scarcely know if the price they receive be a little greater or a little less than usual. They do not trouble themselves to inquire into the causes of the variation of its amount. Cheap salt means health for their children and cattle, and never pauses to ask if it would be more plentiful under Home Rule.—Madras Mail.

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NOTHING BUT CHAFF.

To the Editor:—The Colonist of Sunday morning attempts to criticize my remarks anent the "single tax" principle, under the heading of "Nothing but Wind." The article in question is nothing but chaff, and is in keeping with most of the Colonist's productions. Chaff is swept out of existence by wind, therefore there is nothing to answer in the article referred to.

In this morning's Colonist under the heading of "Heaven and Grant's Principles," the Colonist gives the lie direct to what it said on Sunday morning. I will quote part of the language found in the article in question, viz.: "The principle of taking men's property from them without giving them anything for it is what Mr. Grant calls a just and honest principle." I had almost come to the conclusion that the Colonist had reformed, but it seems that it has not, for the editor of the Colonist lied and knew that he was lying when he penned that quotation. Seeing that it is a straight lie it only requires contradiction, hence argument is unnecessary. Everyone knows that it is an untruth, which will recoil on its and party's head as has been the case before.

JOHN GRANT.

THE DUTY OF THE HOUR.

To the Editor:—Desirous of being impartial towards the candidates now presenting themselves to the electors of this city, it is fair to presume that the mirror of the past will but reflect what may arise in the future. Actions speak louder than pledges, hence every voter should exercise the utmost caution in depositing his ballot. Men and not parties ought to be the guide of every well-wisher of representative Government. The wheels of progress must not be clogged by usurpation. By this it is to be understood that land speculators or monopolists cannot positively do justice in framing laws necessary to protect the less favored sons of fortune. It would be against all precedents to think otherwise, therefore self-preservation demands that this class of legislators should be left where they can accomplish the least harm. The status of honest men in political life is as well known and is as carefully scanned as those following other avocations. An honest man is the absolute embodiment of universal admiration. The article politically being almost a misnomer, yet you have such now seeking support. Prudence, foresight and duty should prompt every voter irrespective of party affiliation in cultivating honesty in politics, by rewarding those whose record bears the record of integrity. For the best interest and furtherance of Victoria's future, and the prosperity of the Province of British Columbia, a thorough investigation of the fitness of each candidate should govern the ballot in every instance. Be therefore steadfast in your convictions, and be not deceived by the plausibility of those who are undeserving and unworthy of confidence. If unsound principles govern daily transactions, better results cannot be looked for by placing political power in such hands. This truism is as positive as night follows day; therefore trust none whose honesty of purpose you doubt. Do battle in your own behalf; failing in this first principle, the error is felt by your neighbor. Long lease of power extended to any power creates corruption in its most hideous form. Government departments become the mediums of venality. The servant assumes the role of master, and the treasury is turned into a strong political stimulating factor. Evidence can be easily produced to satisfy the doubtful that the polluted boast of buying freemen has been advocated by some now seeking your suffrages. He that would endeavor to buy your manhood, punish, by flicking the bribe offered, and publish to the world this imposition of humanity, be he whom he may. No sane man can be thus hoodwinked. Be fearless and favorless, vote your earnest convictions, allowing influences of no nature to divert the impressions of sober, thoughtful manhood. This class of politicians will have henchmen in their employ, who for a paltry pittance would sell their bodies and souls. Heed not their vaperings, give these criminal stained vampires a wide birth, stand in solid phalanx for home and country. Let reform be your motto and justice to all your standard. Cast your ballots in keeping with your convictions, and when the thirteenth day of June shall have ended, whether successful or otherwise, you will have the assurance that your manhood was upheld, your duty was zealously enacted, and your country was protected in the faithful efforts made to save her from the hands of the land sharks and monopolists.

SPADES.

Rivers have their eccentricities and you cannot always rely upon them. In times of the greatest commercial prosperity they will sometimes get up a run upon their banks. In the dry season they are very slothful, hardly leaving their beds for days at a time. You consider them poor housekeepers, until some day you see them get up and sweep everything before them. Knowing little of fruit generally, they are well up in currents. The career of a river is short at the longest, and even then it is liable to be considerably abridged. If arrested in its course, however, it is judged by a jury of its peers. When a young man runs wild his friends are always pleased to see him change his course. Not so with a river; when it changes its course the result is often disastrous. Such was the case at Los Angeles, Cal., recently, when the river of that name, after being on a "high" for some time, suddenly changed its course almost at right angles, just south of the city limits, ruining orchards and destroying the growing crops.—Texas Siftings.

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A BY-LAW

To Further Amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889;

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria as follows:

By adding after section 10, schedule A of the said by-law the following section: "10a. Every person carrying on the business of a fur trader or fur dealer, $50 for every six months."

By adding after the figures "10" in the next line of said section 10, schedule A, of the said by-law, the words and figures "and 10a," and by striking out the word "and" preceding the said figures "10."

By adding after section 11 of the said schedule A of the said by-law the following sections, "11a." Every proprietor or manager of any theatre for each exhibition $10. "11b." Every express company, gas company, telephone company, electric light company, street railway or tramway company, $50 for every six months. 11c. Every investment and loan society, $50 for every six months.

This by-law may be cited as the "Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council the 14th day of May, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C. m22

MUNICIPAL.

THE ATTENTION OF PARTIES INTERESTED is hereby called to Section 2 of the "Johnson Street Sewer By-law 1890," which reads as follows:

"It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to make or construct any drain or sewer to connect with the water way known as Johnson Street Ravine, and all private sewers now connecting with the said ravine shall be within thirty days (30) after the passage of this By-law filled up and obstructed."

Persons having such sewerage connection to their premises are hereby notified to make good and thorough drainage connection forthwith either directly, or by lateral drain, with the Johnson Street Sewer, under the superintendence of the Drainage Committee, as the Board of Aldermen on behalf of the Corporation of the City of Victoria hold themselves free from damage or loss in case any party or parties fail to observe the conditions of the "Johnson Street Sewer By-law 1890."

Any violation of the provisions of the above by-law will be dealt with according to law.

By order WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Hall, May 13, 1890. my14

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON WISHING A copy of the consolidated by-laws of the Corporation of the City of Victoria can obtain the same at the City Hall upon payment of $2.00.

By order WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Hall, May 28, 1890. my28-1d

FLOWERS.

Orders for flowers if left at Henry Clay's, 39 Fort street, will be filled at very reasonable rates. my12-1m

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NOTICE.

We, the undersigned wholesale grocers, hereby give notice that we will close our respective places of business on and after Saturday, May 31st, at 1 o'clock, p. m. Saturday, 8 and remain closed until 9 o'clock Monday morning.

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INCONSISTENT.

To the Editor:—Does it not appear very inconsistent that Mr. Vernon should ask Canadians to vote for him after the way he has conducted himself? Some men, though destitute of honor and royalty, still possess a certain degree of shame. Only recently, I believe, he discharged a Canadian from the civil service, without any cause other than blackmailing charges made by a few cowboys, and immediately appointed an American citizen to the position. I would like to know by what authority he withholds public documents from the Legislative Assembly. Bear in mind the documents referred to were not marked "private" or "confidential," but plainly addressed to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. Does such conduct assure his re-election? We will see next week. My contention is that a Cabinet Minister who appoints a foreigner to a position under the Government to the injury of those at home, is not a loyal man in practice. Patriotism, honor and conscientiousness are three points which are absolutely necessary in a true gentleman or statesman. The citizens of any country look to their representative men, to those in whom they have expressed confidence, and especially to the members of their governments for practical patriotism and honor. Your position, Mr. Vernon, in so far as your political relations to the Province are concerned, cannot be continued unless at the risk of impoverishing Canadians, and if you have enough sense left to see how inconsistent it is that you should attain an office in which by precept and example you can do so much harm in the Province, you will not strive for re-election to a position to which by sentiment you are entirely unfitted. A progressive policy is as a number of your old supporters call it a cowboy policy. How about "Canada for the Canadians" Policy? Not long ago this journal accused the present administration of committing acts only about a degree from crime. I don't think there comes many degrees from crime, not more than "two and a half or three," as I consider "such conduct, on Canadian soil, equivalent to entertaining treasonable designs against the State." No Surrender.

Yale, June 1st, 1890.

SINGLE TAX IT IS.

To the Editor:—With your kind permission we will reply to "A Resident," in last evening's Times. Our resolution reads, "We, a portion of the electors, not all." If one's savings are invested in mortgages, "Resident" thinks they escape taxation. Has "R." forgotten that mortgages are loaned on land. Bank shares have the same basis, while railways are the most outrageous monopolists of "land" in the world.

Now for "R.'s" own individual case. He has bought $12,500 worth of land and built a $25,000 house, and will be taxed $1000 per annum. Assuming this to be correct, let us remind "R." that with the introduction of the single tax all other taxes are abolished, including the great "N.P." which we claim will reduce the cost of living 25 per cent. at least.

A moderate estimate of expenditure for a party with an estate worth $37,500 would be say $4000 a year under our present system of taxation. Now deduct the 25 per cent. above referred to and we find that "R" pays no more under the single tax than the present system, while he can continue to improve the estate to his heart's content without being "fined" for it as at present.

Resident says that the "natural beauty and delightful climate" has given the value to Victoria's land. If such is the case why did not current prices prevail in the years between 1865 and 1870? Further, why is it that land but a few miles from the city, enjoying equal "natural advantages," and similar "natural blessings," cannot command equal prices? Ans.—The application of labor and increase of population has given the increased value. The fact that "Resident" brought $35,500 into the country, while Mr. West brought only himself proves the present unequal distribution of gifts, natural or acquired. Mr. West is using his in interest of humanity while "Resident" seems intent on getting all the pleasure he can out of that $37,500, while keeping his business eye open for the more profitable investment of the remaining $100,000.

In conclusion, we beg leave to say that we appreciate the manliness which prompts one to write over his own signature. Yours truly,

Jackson, West & Co.

Victoria, June 3, 1890.

Note.—Until a separate assessment of land and improvements (a work which will be persistently pressed on the next board of aldermen) is made, it is impossible to say what rate would be levied under the single tax. The best authorities say 5 per cent.

THE WORKINGMEN'S MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT.

To the Editor:—I have read the account of this meeting which appeared in your paper with very great interest. I am only lately out from the old country, and think that perhaps some of the working men might like to know how it strikes a stranger.

In the first place, I find here as everywhere the attempt made to throw dust in the eyes of the workingman. Money is needed by the Governments—corporation, Provincial and Dominion—and every necessary of life seems to be taxed. A workingman arrives from the east with a little capital intending to go farming or fruit-growing near Victoria. He finds the price of land, though by the operations of speculators has run up to three times its worth and as a consequence gives up his intention. He next thinks of taking a house for his family and turning his attention to something else. He finds houses and lots in a worse condition than houses and land, and finds food a price [illegible] work its minerals, cut its timber, farm its land, catch its fish; or, is it better that its land, minerals, and forests should be bought by men who have no intention of doing anything with them beyond waiting for a fancy price?

If the city would take over the Real Estate business there would be little need of any taxes at all. And why should it not? It is the proximity to the city that gives these lands and lots value and why should speculators be allowed to make fortunes off the increased value while the very people whose presence created that value are only more heavily taxed on that account? One gentleman has proposed to remove the Indians from their reserve, the monies accruing from the sale of such reserve to go to the city. Possibly this would work well enough. I would however propose that the same be done with all speculators. Remove them also and let the monies accruing from the sale of their lands revert to the city.

Why not run the city like a good many other joint stock concerns, whereon if one wants to sell out, the company must get the first offer?

Lots will vary in value very much according to situation, and sometimes increase in value, while in others they may decrease. The improvements of the city will have caused the increased value. When a man therefore wants to sell out and change his location his lot should revert to the city at its original price, while his house and whatever improvements he himself has made should be taken over at a valuation. We would then have the attention of capitalists directed more to the development of the natural resources of the country, and the industries dependent on them creating a demand for reproductive labor and a consequent increase in the rate of wages.

If it be necessary that the land be held by the nation, much more is it necessary that the corporation should hold all the lots within its boundaries, and the farm (and other) land whose value is increased by proximity to city.

Observer.

MORNING TELEGRAMS.

Prince Bismarck Going to England Intriguing Against the Kaiser.

The Independance Belge, under the impression that the United States Government opposes protection in the Congo State because that paper's articles on the subject were regarded by the American Government as having been officially inspired, explains that the opinions expressed in the articles were its own.

Prince Bismarck will arrive at Venice on June 21st on route for England.

The Emperor has informed Prince Bismarck that if he does not at once cease his utterances on political affairs and other matters relating to his retirement, with which the press have been filled up of late, the result will be serious to him.

The Chronicle's Paris correspondent learns that a number of officials at minor German courts have been dismissed for intriguing at the instigation of Count Herbert Bismark to obstruct the Emperor's policy.

It is surprising how strong a hold the revised taste for catseyes, emeralds, and opals has taken. It is reported from London that the Queen has ordered from a well-known firm of Bond Street jewellers, a necklace of opals and diamonds, the centre stone being an opal of great beauty and size. This is presumably intended as a wedding present to the Princess Alixe of Hesse. This taken with the fact that the Prince of Wales' favorite pin of late has been an opal set round with diamonds should surely sound the death knell of the old superstition relative to the unlucky qualities of the opal. And again we read in a society journal that at a recent ball given at Buckingham Palace Lady Ampthill wore a necklace of catseyes and diamonds of great value, the recent gift of her husband.

A Marvellous Recovery.

I was so ill with inflammatory rheumatism in 1882 that I was given up, and had all my earthly business put in order. One of my sons begged me to get Burdock Blood Bitters. After the third bottle I could sit up alone and eat a good meal, and in six weeks I was out of bed feeling better than I ever felt. I take three bottles every spring, and two every fall. Mrs. M. N. D. Bernard, Main St., Winnipeg, Man. *

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PARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that Mr. Alan S. Dumbleton, Solicitor of Supreme Court of England and British Columbia has been admitted a partner in the firm of Messrs. Walker & Pemberton, Barristers and Solicitors. The firm will on and after the 1st day of July next be carried on under the name of Messrs. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton. m27-31

Having this day disposed of the Stock in Trade and Good Will of my business to Messrs. Cowan and Wilson, I take this opportunity of thanking you for the liberal patronage with which you have favored me for many years, and I respectfully ask for a continuance of the same to my successors, whom I can confidently recommend to your favorable consideration. I am sending all the liabilities and collecting all the debts connected with the late business.

S. J. Pitts.

Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1890. m19-1f

Referring to the above announcement, we respectfully ask for a continuance of the patronage with which you have favored Mr. S. J. Pitts in the past. We assure you that any orders you may entrust us with will receive our prompt and careful attention, and that our aim will be to merit your confidence and support.

Cowan & Wilson.

May 12-1m

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Corn Meal	10 "	"	40	Pie Fruit, Assorted, gallon tins	75
Sago and Tapioca	12 "	"	1 00	Maple Syrup, Superior, 3 lb. tins	1 00
Rice	12 "	"	1 00	Sugar, Light Brown, 14 lbs.	1 00
Peas, Green or Split	12 "	"	1 00	Sugar House Drips, per gallon	50
Beans, White or Brown	10 "	"	1 00	Vinegar, Malt	50
Currants, new	10 "	"	1 00	Vinegar, White Wine	50
Raisins, Valencia, new	10 "	"	1 00	Butter, Creamery 30 cts per lb 2 lbs for	60
Prunes	from 8 to 12	"	1 00	Ham, Finelty	12
Apples, Dried (new)	from 8 lb	"	1 00	Bacon, 16 cts per lb, or 2 lbs for	25
Peaches	8 "	"	1 00	Cod Oil, Cased per doz.	1 50
Apricots	8 "	"	1 00	Eggs, Island 30 per doz. Imported	25
Peaches, 2 to 4 lbs. new			50	Coffee, Victoria Blend	25
Apricots, 2 lbs. new			50	Mocha, Java and Ceylon	25
Corn			1 00	Tea, 5 lbs M.M. for	1 00
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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

A C. P. R. COLLISION.

Two Trains Bump near Hastings—Neither Employees nor Passengers Injured.

The local passenger train on the Canadian Pacific Railway for New Westminster had orders to cross a freight train at Hastings on Saturday morning. Both conductor and engineer forgot their orders and passed on. Before full speed had been attained, the approach of the freight train recalled the orders to the driver's memory, but unfortunately too late to avert a collision. When the engineers of both trains had reversed their levers and had done everything in their power, they jumped, and not a moment too soon. When the engines (No. 68 on the passenger train and 355 on the freight) met, the pilots, or cow-catchers as they are usully called, gave way and were splintered into firewood, the irons, etc., bending or breaking according to their exposed position. The tender of 68 rushed in on to the engine, and the wood was precipitated inside of the cab. The The water tank was broken in and the freight car on the front of the train was telescoped and pushed forward on to the tender, almost completely covering it. As it was, not one of them was injured, and no passengers were hurt. The freight train engine was disabled, the car immediately behind the engine was broken in; while about midway back in the train a flat car was forced through the end of an empty box car, making both cars unfit for further service. Some freight was also damaged. While the track for about 30 yards had a rather rough usage appearance only an hour or two's delay was occasioned.

Victoria Realty.

Mr. D. Drysdale, of New Westminster, has purchased four acres of beautiful property in the eastern part of the city for $12,000. It is situated at the corner of Belcher and Moss streets in proximity to some of the finest residences in Victoria and is looked upon by real estate men as a good investment.

Atmospheric Phenomena.

For several evenings past a meteorological phenomenon has been witnessed in the eastern portion of the horizon, says the Columbian. Around the Pitt Mountains about five in the afternoon heavy masses of black cloud gather with here and there a lurid streak of light; gradually the clouds descend to the lowlands and come sweeping along to the city where the effect of the atmospherical disturbance is felt in a kind of cyclone of extremely cold wind, lasting only a few moments. No rain accompanies this phenomenon. This strange affair has happened for the past three or four evenings. The sky generally brightens and clears up immediately afterwards.

The Canadian Pacific.

An item in Monday's TIMES referring to fast freight over the Northern Pacific instituted an unfortunate and unfrue comparison with the Canadian Pacific. The latter railway gives to the merchants of Victoria a most satisfactory service, as is proved by the amount of business which the company does in the city. While willing at all times to give credit where credit is due, we do not think it necessary to decry one railway in order that the advantages of another may be made more apparent. At the present time Congress is agitated about the effect of the Canadian upon the American lines, which goes to show that the C.P.R. as a competitive route is believed by U. S. politicians to be superior to their own roads.

The Designing Robson.

Speaking to his constituents on the day of nomination the Hon. John Robson said: "Whatever designing ones may say to the contrary, and however anxious they may be to lead the electors astray, I repeat that myself and the Government stand pledged to bring in such a measure as will at once sweep away the absurd and unfair balance of power theory which some assert formed the basis of the Constitution at the period of Confederation. This measure I assure you will do every section of the Province the fullest justice. The absolute pledge now given you and the Mainland should be deemed a satisfactory one by all fair minded men. If I am to remain in power till the result of the census is known, and that the conditions are—and I believe they will be—such as to warrant the Government in introducing a further measure depend upon it that will be sure."

The Contented Man.

The lecture hall of St. Andrew's church was well filled by an appreciative audience which had gathered to hear Rev. Mr. Milligan address them on the subject of "The Contented Man." The lecturer, whose superior in handling a subject would be hard to find, described the contented man as one who was of a warm sympathetic nature, capable of mental expression, and whose bodily health was as near perfection as possible, as unless the body, the tenement of the spirit, is in a state of comfort and health, the mind cannot be contented and happy. To bring this about, strict attention to food, clothing and sanitary surroundings should be had. The laws of cleanliness must be rigidly obeyed, and then, when the body was physically well, the mind, as a natural consequence, feels bright and contented. Social enjoyment should also be cultivated, and in the mad race for wealth, the recreation of the body should not be forgotten. Home firesides should be made bright, and above all a Christian life led. All these things obeyed, and contentment would be sure. In the circumscribed space of a newspaper report full justice cannot be done to Mr. Milligan's most interesting lecture, but suffice it to say he brought out the essential features of his lecture, intermingling his remarks with pleasant and witty allusions, thus dispelling the lecture of even the faintest suspicion of dryness. The funds accruing from the lecture will be used in aid of the mission at Victoria West. A hearty vote of thanks to the speaker was tendered at the finish of his entertaining remarks.

Microbe Killers on sale at Dabey's 111 Government street.

The Lowry.

On Johnson street is the place to go for a fine glass of beer at 5 cents. A short order lunch counter attached. Open day and night.

Supposed to be the Cutch.

A two funnel British built steamer was seen passing up towards Vancouver yesterday, and from her size and rig it is supposed that she was the new steamer Cutch, expected at that port from Bombay. The Cutch has already been described in these columns. She will on arrival at Vancouver be placed on some local route by her owners, the Union Steamship Co.

Crew Paid Off.

The steamer Costa Rica has been laid up in Esquimalt harbor, and all her crew paid off. This has been done by reason of there being nothing for her to do in the coal carrying trade, the output of the Wellington mines, owned by Dunsmuir & Sons, having ceased on account of the strike of the miners. The Costa Rica was chartered by Dunsmuir & Sons as a collier, but like Othello, her occupation 's gone. This is the first tangible result seen here of the strike.

Seattle's Anniversary of the Fire.

Friday next—June 6th—is the anniversary of the great Seattle fire. The visitor on that day will see few evidences of the devastation of a year ago but a new city, more substantially built and more beautiful than the old. Present needs do not probably justify the great improvements that have been made, but they represent, like those of many other American cities, the confidence of the people in the future of of the place. It has been very seldom indeed that this confidence has not been justified.

Police Notes.

The drunk who was up yesterday morning, but who was too drunk to plead, was up again and fined $5.

John O'Brien, an old pensioner, also charged with being drunk was ordered to pay a fine of $5 or one month in the common jail.

Fanny Irving, who since her arrival in Victoria, has figured rather conspicuously in police circles, she having been up twice for being drunk, and also having been locked up for safe keeping was fined $5; which she said she could get by pawning her clothes.

Court of Inquiry.

In accordance with instructions received from Ottawa, Capt. H. G. Lewis, agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, has made an official investigation into the manner of the death of the late H. G. Fox, who was killed by falling down an open hatchway of the steamer Sardonyx last February. The enquiry was called to-day under chap. 62, art. 28 of the revised statutes dealing with such cases, and is by order of a committee of the Privy Council. The result of the investigation will be forwarded to Ottawa, all the evidence taken under oath being submitted. Should the authorities there decide that the evidence warrants a trial of any party or parties, due notice will be given of the same.

The Mission Branch.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has determined to have the Mission Branch completed to the boundary line by the early fall. The work on the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern is going on with great briskness and it will be completed to the point of junction with the Mission Branch probably before the latter is ready to make the connection. The pier work on the bridge across the Fraser at the Mission has been impeded by the high water, but in a few weeks it will be resumed with increased vigor. In the meantime the approaches on both sides are being constructed and are now nearing completion. Tenders have been called for by Mr Harry Abbott for the grading of the branch to the boundary. The work will be let out in small contracts in order to hurry matters along as rapidly as possible. The tenders must be in superintendents hands by the 9th inst.

Picturesque Canada.

Messrs. Edgar S. Reade and J. L. Becker, of Toronto, are in the city, and will remain for several months in the interest of Picturesque Canada, a second edition of which is about to be issued. Picturesque Canada (edited by Principal Grant) was issued about ten years ago, but the work covered only that portion of the Dominion to the east of the Rocky Mountains—it ended, strange to say, where picturesque Canada actually commenced. The work is perhaps the handsomest and most elaborate, both in a literary and mechanical sense, ever issued from the Canadian press. It is proposed in the reissue to include British Columbia, and Messrs. Reade and Becker are at present in the province to complete the arrangements and to secure the illustrations and the data necessary. The literary portion of the work will probably be entrusted to a resident of the province.

Another Dope Smuggler Caught.

One of the biggest opium seizures for some time past was made at Seattle about 3 o'clock on Saturday morning by Lieut. Frank Willard of the police force. Sixty 5-tael cans, or 30 pounds of opium, were captured. It was in the possession of Geo. Dickson, an attache of the O. R. & N. steamer Olympian. Dickson was caught sneaking through the alleyway back of the Phœnix hotel on South Third street. Fifteen pounds were found secreted about his person. He was made to "dig up" in the vernacular of the police force, and directed Willard to a place where fifteen pounds additional was found. Dickson is thought to be one of a regularly organized gang of smugglers. In fact he asserted this morning that he was only "mauleing" for someone else. The opium captured would sell at retail for about $20 a pound, making a seizure of about $600. Besides this Dickson says his gang had $900 more of the stuff which they managed to get into the city safely.

To secure good health. The great specific for all diseases arising from disordered stomach, such as overflow of bile, sick headache, loss of appetite, nausea, palpitation, indigestion, constipation and all blood diseases, is Burdock Blood Bitters. Hundreds of people owe their health to B.B.B., nature's regulator and tonic.

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A NEW STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

They Buy the C. P. N. Company's Steamer Premier.

Articles incorporating the Seattle Steam Navigation and Transportation Company, says the Post-Intelligencer, were filed yesterday with Auditor Forrest by Jacob Furth, John Leary, Edward C. Neufelder, W. R. Ballard and H. C. Struve. The object of the company is to build, charter or otherwise acquire, equip, operate, and maintain, sell or navigate steamships, etc.

The company proposes to enter into the steamboat business on the Sound on a large scale. The steamer Premier the property of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, and operated on the Vancouver route, has been purchased. She is under charter to the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company and an endeavor is being made to buy up the charter. Until this is done nothing can be said as to what will be done with her.

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None but skillful operations performed.

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ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS INstitution up to and including the present date, are to be sent to the undersigned not later than Saturday next, the 7th June.

This Institution has now been closed, and all business in connection therewith transferred to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital from this date.

J. STUART YATES,
Hon. Sec.

Victoria, 31st May, 1890. may31d

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WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
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Victoria, B. C., 31st May, 1890. may31

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may28-d C. E. MALLETTE.

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BILIOUSNESS, DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, JAUNDICE, ERYSIPELAS, SALT RHEUM, HEARTBURN, HEADACHE, DISTURBED SLEEP, FLUTTERING OF THE HEART, ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH, DRYNESS OF THE SKIN.

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We have already received a complete range of new fall Neckwear, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, Gloves, etc. Also a consignment of the latest novelties in Jewelry, both solid and plated.

All orders will receive our prompt attention. Our representatives will be out with full samples at an early date, and trust they will be favored with a share of your patronage. Yours respectfully,

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JOHN GRANT,
GEORGE L. MILNE,
FRANK G. RICHARDS, Jr.

AN UNIQUE EXPERIENCE.

A Hudsons' Bay Employee With "An Arabian Nights'" History.

Mr. McDougall, General Inspector of the H. B. Co.'s posts on both this side and the eastern slope of the Rockies, is a gentleman of vast information and experience in connection with the workings of the business of that celebrated company. This genial gentleman's peregrinations in the interests of the company have extended from near the mouth of the great Yukon in the northwest to Montreal in the east. An evening spent with Mr. McDougall when he expatiates on his residence and travels over the "Great Lone Land," is as interesting as "Wilson's Tales of the Border." His relation of hair-breadth escapes and schemes adopted to get ahead of a private trader in the interest of the company whom he has served so well and faithfully, is both startling and curious. Mr. McDougall's discovery of many excellent specimens of the mastodon on the streams lying between the Yukon and Mackenzie rivers has been valuable data for the paleontologist. While navigating one of those smaller streams he found almost a perfect head and tusks of that great mammal, the mastodon. It was found on the edge of a glacier during a very warm summer and might not have been exposed before for many years. The whole of the boat's crew could not move it, so they contented themselves with sawing off a portion of the tusks which took several men to carry, and took them with them. Mr. McDougall was loath to lose such a valuable specimen, but the immense weight and distance of transportation compelled him to forego the pleasure of securing it. Mr. McDougall will visit all of the H. B. Co.'s posts on this side before returning to Winnipeg.

Mr. McDonald, the resident trader for the company in Cassair, is also a gentleman of extensive travels where the interests of the H. B. Co. are located. He has also been resident on the Yukon battling with the inroads of the traders of the Alaska Commercial Company, as well as the severities of an Arctic winter. Fort Yukon where Mr. McDonald was located for several years is within the Arctic circle, a point from which the sun on the longest days of summer could be seen kissing the horizon at midnight without disappearing during the 24 hours.

TO PURIFY THE WATER.

Commissioner Summerfield's Scheme for a Supply of Better Water.

As is well known to most Victorians, the supply of water for the use of the city is taken from the southerly end of Beaver Lake, although the real source of supply is Elk Lake which is situated to the north and west from Beaver Lake. Beaver Lake itself is no source of supply, it being nothing but a morass or swamp, the water from Elk Lake permeating through it to the head of the water main.

During its percolation the water of a necessity becomes surcharged with organic matter, the result of the decaying vegetation, and this has been a source of trouble as the water, especially in the hot weather, when the decaying process is augmented by heat, has been anything but the pellucid fluid it ought to be. To eradicate this, and at the same time to do it with the least amount of expenditure, has been the aim of the Water Commissioner, and that gentleman has now planned a scheme which he and the water committee will probably submit to the Board of Aldermen which at a cost much less than filter beds they claim will do the work of supplying clear water quite as well.

Mr. Summerfield's idea is to run a 7 foot canal from Elk Lake around to the foot of Beaver Lake, by this means keeping the water from going through the swampy Beaver Lake where it has heretofore become surcharged, in the hot weather especially, with the foulness of decaying vegetable matter. Elk Lake being deep and clear of masses of vegetation, the water from it is free from such products. Its depth, thirty feet in places, also gives it a better chance to be purer. Beaver Lake has no appreciable depth, being a sort of semi-fluid mass of rotting vegetable matter and mud, through which the present water supply flows.

To bring the water direct from the foot of Elk Lake to the main head will require a canal 2844 feet in length. This depth has been planned by Mr. Summerfield, as it gives an additional foot to supply water out of Elk lake over and above that devised by Mr. Bulkley in his scheme, the latter gentleman also advocating a canal. This running of a canal will also tend to more thoroughly aerate the water, and in a measure will also purify it, as flowing through a canal nearly half a mile long will surely in a measure tend to make it clearer. The beneficial effects of the swampy Beaver lake will be done away with, and the water supply will be better in every way. The cost of the scheme will not be excessive, [illegible] pure water supply, it will also insure a larger supply, as the main body of water in Elk lake can be lowered another foot by this means, thus making a considerable difference in the quantity of water available for city purposes.

A lot of heavy hotel cooking utensils at McLennan & McFeely's, 30 Yates street.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wood) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Thermometer at Kellogg's.

Average temperature to-day.....61½

Notice.

The steamer Sardonyx will leave for Skidegate and way ports on Wednesday, 4th inst., at 6 p.m.

On June the 25th.

The great spring drawing for prizes to the value of five hundred dollars will take place at Russell, McDonald & Co's, opposite the Iron Church, Douglas street.

Political.

A full committee of the Opposition candidates is called for this evening at the rooms on Douglas street. A mass meeting will be held on Saturday evening at which all the city candidates will likely address the electors.

Southward Bound.

The following passengers left for San Francisco by the Walla Walla, which sailed this morning: J. B. Jones, L. Eastlick, Miss L. Pippy, Miss Green, W. G. Barrett and wife, Mrs. D. Spencer, E. Crocker, and Rev. A. Dawsley.

Clearance Sale.

For the next thirty days I will sell as follows:—$40 suits for $35, $35 suits for $30, $16 pants for $12, $14 pants for $10, $12 pants for $9. All garments in same proportion. J. McCallum, 43 Fort street. my19-1m

The Comox Nominations.

The report from Comox that three candidates had been nominated to contest the election was incorrect. There were only two, Mr. Joseph Hunter, Government, and Mr. Joseph McPhee, Opposition. It is stated by those who know that Mr. Hunter will have to promise big things to defeat Mr. McPhee, who is very popular.

Ross Bay Interments.

The number of interments in Ross Bay Cemetery for month of May were 13 whites and one Chinaman. Causes of death as follows: Paralysis, 2; consumption, 2; congestion of lungs, 2; whooping cough, 1; convulsions, 1; obstruction of bowels, 1; found dead, 1; railroad accident, 1; abscess, 1; drowning accident, 1; blood poisoning, 1.

Agricultural Exhibition.

At a meeting of the directors of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, held last evening, it was decided to hold the annual exhibition at the grounds, Beacon Hill, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October, 2nd, 3rd and 4th, next. Arrangements will be at once made for the show which it is intended shall be the best ever held in the Province.

Cedar Hill Park.

The survey of this park, ordered by the Board of Aldermen, has been made and a sketch plan to scale been prepared by Mr. T. S. Gore. It has been found that the timber on the park has not been taken away nor any other trespass committed. The boundaries of the park are now marked by stone posts, in the top of which are set the usual copper bolt which exactly marks the boundary line.

Special Card.

As the public have so generously contributed to the success of my great reduction sale, I am induced to continue it for one month longer on the same terms. Here are the most liberal prices ever offered in British Columbia or elsewhere: $10 pants for $7, $12 pants for $8, $14 pants for $10, $16 pants for $12, $20 suits for $25, $35 suits for $30, $40 suits for $35. All work guaranteed a perfect fit or no sale. J. McCallum, "The Famous Californian Tailor," 43 Fort street, Victoria, B. C. Prompt and careful attention to letter orders. Samples mailed. m29-1m

Bound for Alaska.

General Bidwell, ex-Governor of California and his wife are passengers on the Queen for Alaska. General Bidwell came to California in 1846 with General Fremont and settled on a large ranch known as the Bidwell Ranch on Chico river, where there is now a city of 5,000 inhabitants. In 1853 the General was on the steamboat Belle on the upper Sacramento river, when she was blown up and was severely wounded, narrowly escaping from death. The General is now a millionaire. Mr. Alexander Boyd and wife also a millionaire of San Francisco are passengers for Alaska. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd spent a portion of last evening with their old friends Mr. Joe Heywood and wife and later Mr. and Mrs Heywood called upon General Bidwell and wife on the Queen. The General and Mr. Heywood were owners of the celebrated ranch at Chico in early days, but had not met since 1859. Mrs. Grant, wife of Major Grant accompanied them on the trip north.

On the Queen also as passengers for Cassiar were: Mr. Dougall, inspector of the H. B. Co., who is on a tour of inspection; Mr. R. N. L. McDonald, resident trader for the H. B. Co. in Cassiar, and Mr. McTavish, clerk. The other passengers were: Rev. C. C. Tiffany, Miss T. Ogden Jones and maid, Gen. Collis and wife, New York; Mrs. Watson, Miss Watson, Miss Smith, Chicago; John Bidwell and wife, M. Meyer and family, Alexander Boyd and wife, Miss Brugh, Mrs. Hadley, E. P. Reed and wife, Byron Sherman, H. A. Duking, Warren Duking, Geo. S. Drake, J. S. Werts and wife, S. L. Levy. This is the first excursion party for Alaska this season and by the looks of the number of visitors in town last evening it is evident that Alaska will be the scene of many a large excursion this summer.

Two Trains Daily Between Portland and Spokane Falls.

[illegible] trains between Portland and Spokane Falls. Pullman Palace Sleepers and Reclining Chair cars will be run between Portland and Spokane Falls without change.

This new arrangement will afford both local and through passengers additional and unsurpassed facilities. Tickets, detailed time of trains, and general information can be obtained upon application to any ticket agent Union Pacific System.

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Gen'l Pass. Agent.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The Y. M. I. holds its regular meeting to-morrow evening.

Regular fire drill will be held by the department to-night.

W. T. Drake has removed his coal office to near James Bay bridge.

A committee to make arrangements for a boating club has been formed at New Westminster.

A set of new boiler tubes for the steam fire engine Deluge were received to-day from England.

Thirty thousand pounds of rice from the Victoria Rice Mills was part of the Kingston's outgoing freight last evening.

A shipment of seal and otter skins valued at about $3600 was made to New York parties to-day by Victorian dealers.

The Walla Walla, which sailed for Frisco this morning, took down 149 bales of hides, eight sacks of ore and a lot of old iron.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of School Trustees will be held at the city hall on Wednesday, the 4th instant, at 8 p. m.

Every subscriber to "The Dominion Illustrated," Canada's pictorial weekly, is insured for $500 in case of death by accident. Yearly subscription $4. 1w

The local strawberry has now made its appearance in all its luscious sweetness. This year's brand promises to be equal in point of size to previous years.

A party living near Ross Bay yesterday complained to the Provincial Police that a lot of filth had been dumped near his premises, causing an awful stench.

The Seattle Morning Journal comes to hand completely metamorphized, the paper being printed on a "Scott" press which runs off 10,000 eight-page papers an hour.

The lecture delivered by ex-Mayor Fell, on Sunday, March 30th, the anniversary of the advent of Modern Spiritualism, is published in full in the Banner of Light.

The large number of tourists who left this morning by the Queen for Alaska were out viewing the city last evening, and the hacks were kept busy until a late hour.

A box containing mammoth plates of glass to be used in Saunders' new block, was to-day taken up from the wharf. The plates are about fifteen feet by twelve, and the largest yet imported.

During the month of May 2108 books were taken out of the public library, 1001 by ladies and 1107 by gentlemen; 1424 were novels; 66 new cards have been issued, 30 to ladies, and 36 to gentlemen.

The directors of the B. C. Agricultural Society met last evening and decided to hold the annual show at the Society's grounds, Beacon Hill, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 2d, 3rd and 4th.

The corporation of New Westminster is importing a rock crusher from the old country by the Hudson Bay Co.'s vessel Titania, which will arrive about the last of August. The Titania will go up to New Westminster with it, says Truth.

Seven plans for the construction of a sewerage scheme for the city were inspected and discussed by the committee yesterday, but no definite decision was arrived at in the matter. The committee will sit again in a few days and select that plan they consider best.

Rev. J. H. Best, the new pastor of Olivet Baptist Church in Westminster, accompanied by Mrs. Best and Miss McColl, arrived on Saturday by the eastern train from Brandon, Manitoba. The reverend gentleman commenced his duties on the following day.

The spring assizes at Nanaimo are bare of cases. His Lordship, the Chief Justice, went up yesterday to attend as a formal matter. The island has achieved a record for freedom from crime, there having been no cases either here or at Nanaimo these spring assizes.

A pair of Peto's patent door openers have been received by the fire department and will be placed on the door of the Tiger engine house soon. When the apparatus is ready to go out, the driver by pulling a cord which will hang near his seat, releases a catch and the doors swing will instantly open leaving a clear way for the horses and machine to go out.

A regular meeting of the Young People's Literary Society of the First Presbyterian church was held last evening. Instead of holding the meeting in the usual place, however, they took row boats to the Gorge and had a right jolly good time without being restricted by a chairman or rules of order. The programme was varied with music, games, etc., and when the party returned to the city at 10:30 they all voted that they had had a delightful moonlight picnic.

SPIRIT LIFE.

A Viscountess Relates What She Saw.

Viscountess Maidstone writes to the Pall Mall Gazette as follows with regard to an occurrence which took place on the evening of the performance, last week, at Westminster Townhall, of Sophocles' "Antigone," in which Lady Maidstone took the title parts: "Coming out of my dressing room, I saw Mr. H standing against the wall, opposite the door of the dressing room. I went up, putting my hand out, and said [illegible] check his hand. [illegible] Knowing him to be a peculiar man, but never doubting that it was he (being a person of such strong individuality that he couldn't well be mistaken), I thought 'How funny!' and hurrying on behind the scenes, I gave the matter no further thought. The following day a friend called, and in the course of conversation said, 'You will be sorry to hear poor H—— is dead.' 'Impossible!' I replied, 'I saw him and spoke to him at the play last night.' I can only tell you, was the answer, that he died on Thursday last (the day before the performance), and is to be buried to-morrow."

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The Walla Walla sailed for San Francisco at 11 o'clock this morning.

The Princess Louise arrived from Westminster this morning with a lot of hay and live stock.

The Rainbow returned this morning from her trip to Vancouver, Nanaimo and the logging camps.

Capt. Smith, formerly mate of the Sardonyx, has been appointed master of that vessel, vice Capt. Munroe, resigned.

Steamer Rainbow will hereafter leave Victoria on Wednesday instead of Thursday as heretofore. Shippers will please notice.

The Yosemite left for Westminster at 1 o'clock this morning to take on a party of Indians who have chartered her for an excursion.

The ship Queen Victoria which is long overdue from London for this port has been chartered to load wheat at Tacoma for the United Kingdom.

Capt. J. G. Cox, who has been across the Sound for a few days, returned last night. While he was away he chartered the steam schooner Mischief of Yaquina, which he will use in coasting work.

The P. S. and A. N. S. Company's steamer Edith which is at present in the hands of the Alldon Iron Works is expected to be ready to resume her trip between Seattle and Port Townsend next week.

Lowson, June 3.—The official inquiry into the loss of the National Line steamship Erin resulted in the decision that at the time of her sailing the Erin was in good condition and that while she was somewhat over laden her cargo was properly stored. The evidence before the board was too slight for it to decide whether the vessel was of sufficient stability of construction. Finally the board attributed the loss of the steamer to her having foundered in the tremendous gales of last January.

The Olympian raced the Kingston from Seattle to Port Townsend on Saturday says the Leader. The first named had the start of her competitor about three minutes. She beat her arrival into Pt. Townsend about eight minutes. Both boats were crowded with passengers, some of whom lost and won small sums of money on the result. The Kingston's machinery got out of gear shortly after she pulled away from Tyler street wharf in consequence of which she drifted about outside for over twenty minutes.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer North Pacific from the Sound—M L Berger, Miss Gilbert, Miss Mellon, J H McIndoe, S G Wateman, J G Thomson, J Stoddart, Mrs Saunders, Miss Herndon, H Peterson, O Vogel, Jennie Loren, L J Boase, J Johnson, J G Lewis and wife, Nellie Lewis, Mrs Rhoes, Mrs Webster, Mrs Holt, Mrs Hoyt, E Percival, Mrs Driscoll, Master Driscoll, T Hansen, Chas Chestwood, E W Spotes, A C Dow, J Hall, Miss Brown, Mrs Foster and two children, S B Blake and wife, J Bass, J E Stright, B Lombard and wife, J H Hewitt and wife, G Arthur, J D Lang, G W Hoit, Forcighner, F Potter, Miss Arps, Miss Smith, Miss Amer, J Kuep, Mrs Keep and two children, A Caswell, J Hewett, A E Crandall, F H Doyler and wife, A Rosen, W A Arthur, Miss Lewis, H Turpbone.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—R Grant, Mrs Harper, [illegible] A Harrington and wife, Mrs Cameron, A Ferguson and wife, Mrs Sanders, Miss Hackett, F Augurey, W G Norris, T Ryan, John Meng, Mr Hetey, J Anderson, T L Gallighan, G Schwerg, Mrs Price, J W Meldhum, W J Williams, E Williams, Miss Way, G Coleman, T A Shaw, J N Howell, J Pollack, H Schmitt, J C Johnson, W Wecker and wife, G F Edwards, Mrs Spooner, R A Beasely, Miss Nichols, G Rose, J Coleman, W C Jones, T Ross, J G Cox, E J Pringonst, E Cox, C Morse, G Manger, J Smith, I A Whitcomb and wife, R Palmer, C Foster, Mrs Schoet, E Oaleman, J Sand, Mrs Butterfield.

Per steamer Louise from New Westminster—W Thompson, S Wright, Kennedy Macrob, E Blaine, Mrs and Mrs Mood, Mr and Mrs Glen, Mrs Adams, Mr and Mrs Saunders, Mrs Forest, H Watson, A Campbell, C Diabold, J M Corbin, F Dougall, H Gibson, A Moore, R Snyder, S Rawson, Geo E Saunders, J J Cameron, J C Calhoun, A M Nelson, T E Ladner, A J Clauchan, A R Heaton, A Hartler, J Goodwin.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—J Sehgles, Phillips Bros.

Per str City of Kingston from the Sound—H B Co. Company, R P Rithet & Co, Laidlaw & Co, S McQuade and Son, Cody Wilson, R Baker and Son, Henry Saunders, T N Hibben and Co, F Saunders, Mrs E Sol Spencer.

Per Steamer Louise from New Westminster—Geo Yates, Henry Saunders, A W Wilson, M & Heron, John Weiler, Geo Vienna, R Kitty, Dominion Express Company, J Goodsaw, W McDowell, B A C Company, H Grant, J T Paget, C P N Co.

Per str. City of Puebla from San Francisco—A W Wright, A J Betchtel, A Lawrence, Brackman and Ker, B Lucy, Lester and Ferris, E S Munsie, C Hoey, J J Hayes, Cowan & W Sayson, Dixi H Rose & Co, Dempster & Rock, E B Marvin & Co, Fell & Co, G U Charles & Co, G W Peck, H A Litey, H G Moore, C Hecht-ratz & Laws & H D Co, Hostlinz S M Co, Hong Far Low, H Saunders, J S A Cheuthan, J Skinner, J Wrightsworth, J P Mathews & Co, J C Devlin, J H Todd & Son, Cassidy, J Kuykendall, J Merchant, John Weiler, J W Clark, P G Wing & Bro, L C Sch, L Dreyfus, L C Lee, Martin & Tilton, McMillan & H M S, M Matthews, Mrs Sunley, Mrs Mary Scales, P McG & Son, R P R & Co, R Baker & Son, R V Winch, R C P M, R Keeler, R Lapertel, S Leiser, Shirley Hope, S Maschas, S Clay, Sam & Co, S W, T C M & L Co, T H Robinson, T B & Co, T W Fletcher, T Trowell, T W Clark, T Sing, W S Jamieson, G W Peck Walls P Co, W S Rennal, On Hing Bros.

The Idea of March.

"Last March mother caught a severe cold, terminating in a very bad cough. Everything we could hear of was tried without avail. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam was at last recommended and procured. The first dose relieved, and one bottle entirely cured her." Miss E. A. STARNAMAN, Hespeler, Ont.

Ice Cream at Stotts Bros. m3-tf.

Baby Carriages.

A fine line of baby carriages and wagons, at Shore & Anderson's, 107 Douglas street.

"Tales of Western Life."

By H. R. A. Pocock, is for sale by Gill & Co., 45 Government St. at 25 cents.

Fence Posts.

Split cedar fence posts for sale. Apply to A. C. Howe, corner of Discovery and Government streets or to Scotch Bakery Douglas street.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

G. C. Sauer left for the Sound last evening on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Audearied, from San Francisco, are at Roccabella.

C. J. Miller has received the appointment of traveler for G. C. Sauer & Company.

H. C. Lawson, chief engineer of the steamer Olympian, is off duty, temporarily, he being troubled with acute rheumatism.

Miss L. Pippy and Miss Green of San Francisco, who have been visiting R. L. Pippy, bookkeeper of the East Wellington mines, left for home by the Walla Walla this morning.

O. H. Goodwin returned last evening from a business trip to the Mainland. Mr. Goodwin is suffering from a sprained wrist and ankle the result of the collision on the Westminster branch of the C. P. R., he having been a passenger on one of the trains.

City Surveyor P. J. Leech is on duty again after a severe illness of over a fortnight. Mr. Leech thinks his late attack was brought on by inhaling coal gas when the new fire tank, corner of Johnson and Government streets, was inspected, as soon after he was laid up and suffered seriously.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowen Brau at the Bank Exchange.

We have without exception the finest line of men's suits in the province in fancy tweed and all wool worsteds Gilmore & McCandless.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CAUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without a written order for same, from this date.

JOSEPH LEVY.

Victoria, June 2, 1890. jun2-1m

AUCTION.

FURNITURE

FRIDAY, JUNE 6th, at 2 p.m.

I will sell on the premises, 132 Fort street, between Blanchard and Quadra, all the Household Furniture contained in the premises, Parlors, Bedrooms and Kitchen, also a Cottage Piano.

jun3 G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE TENDERS ARE ASKED until June 5th at 5 p. m., for building a residence on the Cadboro Bay Road. Plans to be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CORNELIUS J. SOULE, Architect.

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NOTICE!

MONDAY, JUNE 9.

Pygmalion and Galatea,

AND

"WITHERED LEAVES,"

Will be re-produced for the benefit of the

ST. ANN'S ORPHANAGE.

The Box Plan will open THURSDAY, June 5th, at C. A. Lombard & Co.'s music store, Government street. jun3-td

BRITISH COLUMBIA Agricultural Association

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AT

VICTORIA

ON

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$5000 TO BE GIVEN IN PRIZES.

Besides a large number of Medals and Special Prizes.

For particulars see hand bills and catalogues.

Information will be cheerfully given by applying to

C. E. RENOUF, Sec.

jun2-dw Victoria.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

A PUBLIC MEETING

OF THE

Registered Householders and Freeholders of

VICTORIA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

WILL BE HELD

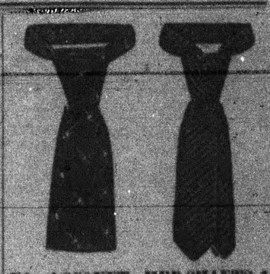
On Monday, 9th day of June, 1890,

AT THE CITY HALL

Commencing at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

By order of Board of Trustees.

may31-td R. WOLFENDEN, Secretary.



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to the advantages offered by a strictly one price; cash system. Our goods are of the best.

Our Stock is Large

and buyers will find each line we carry representative of the best in the markets

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CLOTHING,

Hats, Shirts, Ties, &c.

MECHANICS'

Cash Clothing Store

55 Johnson Street.

W. G. CAMERON

ELECTION CARDS.

TO THE ELECTORS

OF THE

City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:

I am a candidate for the representation of the City of Victoria in the Legislative Assembly, as an independent supporter of the present Government, and I respectfully ask for your votes at the general election.

Faithfully yours,

CHARLES WILSON.

Victoria, 10th May, 1890. may12

TO THE ELECTORS

OF

Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been selected by those opposed to the present local government as one of four to contest the ensuing general election in their interest, I beg to announce myself as a Candidate at the forthcoming election in opposition to the government, and trust you may favor me with your votes and support.

I shall shortly take the opportunity of placing my views on public matters before you.

Yours respectfully,

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

Victoria, B. C., May 12th, 1890. may12-1m

TO THE ELECTORS

OF

Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been solicited to stand as a candidate at the approaching Election for the Local Legislature, I have consented to do so, and solicit your vote and support.

I hope to have the pleasure of addressing you at as early a date as possible, when I shall place my views before you.

Yours respectfully,

G. L. MILNE.

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TO THE ELECTORS

OF

Esquimalt District.

GENTLEMEN:

At the earnest solicitation of numerous friends I have decided to offer myself as candidate to represent your District in the Legislature Assembly at the approaching general election, and solicit your votes and influence.

As an entire stranger to you I feel it necessary in order to enable me to place my views before you, to adopt this method of soliciting your votes.

G. HELGESEN.

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NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE THIS day admitted Mr. C. J. M. Robinson into partnership in the business hitherto carried on by me, and will, in future, be under the firm name of

A. W. JONES & BRIDGMAN,

44-46 Government street.

A. W. JONES.

31st May, 1890. jun1-3m

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

KODAK SAFETY FILM